

Send in news of your boy so his friends in uniform may keep in touch with him. Phone 708.

Cpl. Michael Thompson, R.C.A.F., reported to Moncton, N.B., on March 12, after completing a furlough.

Barbara R. Young, daughter of Lieut.-Col. N. M. Young, commanding officer of No. 23, and Mrs. Young, was among the graduates in the final class of Wrens to take basic training on board H.M.C.S. Conestoga at Galt. Elizabeth E. Larkin, King, was another graduate in the same class.

Pte. Jack Peppiatt, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Peppiatt.

Mrs. Norma Crouch, Sharon, has received word that her brother, Robert Frederick Davis, has been slightly injured in action.

Donald Henry Thompson, whose wife lives at R. R. 1, Gormley, has been reported missing in action.

Sgtm. E. A. Barber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Barber, will celebrate his fourth army birthday on March 15, his third one overseas.

FO James E. Cullen has been transferred from Dauphin, Man., to Summerside, P.E.I., for a nine-week course.

FO Bill Revill is now stationed in Iceland.

Pte. Raymond Druery, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his wife.

Sgt. Alfred Harden is stationed in England.

Word has been received from Pte. Cyril Roberts who is overseas. Before enlisting Pte. Roberts was employed by the Newmarket Dairy.

Pte. Joe Flanagan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Flanagan, is serving overseas.

HELPS FUND

W. L. Kidd has made a gift of \$5 to the Newmarket Veterans' Soldiers' Comforts fund.

Federation Of Nations, Urged By Rev. Roy Hicks

HOME AGAIN



FO T. H. Norris, Toronto, formerly of Newmarket, is home from overseas after service in India and Ceylon. FO Norris, a radar officer, was an LAC when he went overseas.

Pickering Artist Wins Praise For Lithographs

Fred Hagan, resident artist at Pickering College, received wide recognition for his lithographs at an exhibition sponsored by the Society of Canadian Painters-Etchers, at the Royal Ontario Museum.

Mr. Hagan is one of the very few in Canada who does his own printing on his own equipment. His subjects in the exhibition vary from Algonquin landscapes to "Minuet in G" where the subject includes a skull, musical score, gutted candle and violin.

SPEAKS AT HILL

J. W. Noseworthy, C.C.F. member for York-South, spoke at Richmond Hill Friday, not at Newmarket as stated in published reports.

COMING EVENTS

Friday, March 16—Home made doughnut sale at the market and at the Presbyterian church. Orders delivered. Phone Newmarket 6659. c1w7
Monday, March 19—Eucharist at I.O.O.F. hall in Aurora at 8.15, under auspices of Elma Rebecca Lodge. Prizes and refreshments. Admission 25c. c1w7
Monday, March 19—Eucharist at Rainbow Gardens, Keswick. Auspices of Elmhurst Beach Women's Institute. Proceeds for soldiers' comforts. c1w7
Tuesday, March 20—Chicken supper under auspices of Lakeside Women's Institute at Keswick United church, in aid of new wing at York County hospital. Concert will follow, consisting of play, solos and readings. Supper served 6 to 8 o'clock. c2w5
Wednesday, March 21—Veterans' bingo in town hall at 8 p.m. Jack

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NEWMARKET, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, MARCH 15TH, 1945

MEMBER AUDIT BUREAU OF CIRCULATIONS

CIRCULATION
for three months ended Dec. 31, 1944
NEWMARKET 1,120 TRADING AREA 1,229
OTHERS 440 (INCLUDES 479 HALF-PRICE
SOLDIERS' SUBSCRIPTIONS)
TOTAL PAID 3,219

Submarine Attacks, Lessons In Chinese All In Convoy Life

An enemy sub-attack and the birth of a baby at sea were highlights in a series of letters written to his home folks by Francis Starr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Starr, R. R. 3, Newmarket, who is bound for India on his way to China where he will serve with the Friends Ambulance Unit.

Mr. Starr studied at the University of Massachusetts under the auspices of U.N.R.R.A. before going overseas.

He writes as follows:

"We expect to move faster when we get out of convoy and on our own. Life is so much more interesting with a convoy though. We are on the outside row but to the other side and in front of us there are ships as far as eye can see. The other day, a ship over towards the centre signalled us to signal a destroyer to come over with a doctor as there was a woman on board who was going to have a baby. The ships signal to each other with lights and flags. At night, of course, there is a blackout except for a dim stern light on each ship so they won't bump into one another. Last night a Spanish ship cut across our course. It was lit up like a Christmas tree."

In another letter he writes: "We have been making good time since we got into different waters a week ago and it is

anticipated that it will take at least three weeks to get to our destination. Life certainly gets tiresome at times. I'm spending quite a lot of time chewing the rag with the gunners and crew. I had quite a discussion with a fireman down in the engine room this afternoon. He is getting \$300 a month and thinks we are crazy for working for nothing. There are some strong anti-Britishers aboard and I have had some vigorous arguments with them. It was great to hear the broadcast from Canada this afternoon. It was interesting to hear about the coming election."

His third letter had two enclosures, the first reading:

"We have been going through enemy territory lately but have had no definite encounters with the enemy although a suspicious ship was reported lurking near us on two successive nights." The second enclosure reads:

"I was just folding the other sheet last night when the general alarm rang. I was in the dining hall along with a few others and it didn't take us long to get out of there and get our life jackets on and get to our station stations. The passenger station for a general alarm is right behind the wheelhouse. We just got there when the (censored) started shooting. After quite a few shots, we were dismissed. I went up on the bridge and learned that a sub had been sighted. In about an hour's time the performance was repeated and again at 4.30 so we were up early."

Among his letters was a sheet on which Mr. Starr had been practising his Chinese language lessons. The sheet was covered on both sides with English words and their Chinese equivalent, reminiscent of the way school pupils learn their Latin. Examples on the sheet were: tian chee means weather; noan means warm; chyan means money; kivi means chopsticks; and so on.

FORMER NEWMARKET LADY DIES OUT WEST

Mrs. Elizabeth Florence Thomson, 80, died Feb. 13, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Blackwell, 339 Balfour Ave., Winnipeg, Man. She was the widow of Archibald Thomson, who died in 1934.

Mrs. Thomson was born at Stoke, England, and came to Canada with her parents in 1896. She lived the greater part of her life in Newmarket. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. H. F. Garrett, Vancouver, and Mrs. Blackwell, Winnipeg; two brothers, E. Morton, Chicago, and F. Morton, Pittsburgh, and four grandchildren.

The remains were forwarded to Regina, Sask., where final rites and burial were made in the family plot in Regina cemetery.

Rev. A. E. Runnells, D.D., Named As Speaker

At a recent meeting of the Newmarket Ministerial Association it was decided by the members to call Rev. A. E. Runnells, D.D., of St. Enoch's United church, Toronto, as guest speaker for special Holy Week services for the week of March 26. Dr. Runnells, former minister of Newmarket, was associate minister of Trinity United church with Rev. R. R. McMath for about two years and his many friends will be delighted to hear him preach again in Newmarket. It was also decided at the meeting that the Holy Week services would be held in the Congregational-Christian church.

WILL MAKE HOME HERE

Thomas Leslie Druery, Vancouver, 22-months-old son of Pte. Tom Druery, arrived in Newmarket this week and will make his home with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Druery.

WIN ORATORICAL PRIZES

Harvey Evans and Jessie Stainton won first and second awards respectively in the grade ten oratorical contests for the E. J. Davis trophy at Newmarket high school.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Mrs. Fred Lewis, Prospect Ave., underwent an appendix operation on Wednesday at York County hospital. She is progressing favorably.

SHE LIVES IN OTTAWA



Mary Phyllis Buckley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loftus Buckley, Ottawa. She was 14 months old when this picture was taken. Mary is the granddaughter of Mrs. Fred Hoare, Newmarket, and Mrs. Buckley.

HIS DADDY'S IN HOLLAND



The smiling little fellow pictured above is Jimmie Ward, son of Pte. and Mrs. C. J. Ward, Newmarket. Jimmie is a year old. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. O'Halloran, Newmarket. His daddy is in Holland. Photo by Budd.

Navy Leads Series 2-1 After Second Garden Win

By BERNIE GANTNER

After capturing the Military District No. 2 hockey title by subduing two army squads in Bradford Monday, the No. 23 hopefuls paid another visit to Maple Leaf Gardens.

GAME TUESDAY

No. 23 plays Navy Bulldogs Tuesday at Maple Leaf Gardens. As before, officials are trying to arrange special coaches to carry Newmarket fans to the game.

ens and dropped their second successive game in the best of five series with the Toronto Navy Bulldogs. The sailors eked out a close 6-5 decision, the winning counter coming on a screened and deflected shot with but 90 seconds of regulation time left. The navy now leads the series 2-1, with the fourth and perhaps deciding game coming up next Tuesday at the home of the Maple Leafs.

It was a rip-roaring, slam-bang thriller with plenty of stress on the slam. Both teams turned on the heat at break-neck, breath-taking speed with more than ample rough-house tactics thrown in for effective measures. Bodily contact was much in evidence, players being dumped right and left. This factor featured in the first two periods and at times threatened to be the spark necessary to set a free-for-all in motion.

From the moment Joint McComb tied it up 5-5 early in the final frame, tempo of play and tempera calmed down considerably, the hockeyists confining their activities to the finer points of the game. As a result some of the best hockey of the season was witnessed by the odd 3,000 in attendance.

Play moved back and forth at a terrific pace. The rival goalies, Flash Abram and Ross Wilson, had to be right on their toes, being tested repeatedly and making one sensational save after another. A face-off in the Newmarket end proved disastrous. The sailors got the draw. The rubber was slapped back to Oliniski, parked in the blue line. The galloping Pole let one fly and the disc lodged in the twine and the game was in the bag for the tars. The shot was slightly screened and in its flight hit Tommy Jamieson's skate to carom crazily into the Newmarket nets. Abram never had a chance on the play.

It was the break that usually materializes when two evenly matched teams hook up in an important contest. With a little luck, the break could just as easily have favored Newmarket army. It was a grand game to win and a heart-breaker to lose. There wasn't very much to choose between the two teams, both giving their best and delivering outstanding efforts.

Billy Thompson and Joint McComb were the pace-setters for the losers. They were dangerous whenever on the ice, leading every Newmarket attack. McComb garnered two goals and an assist, while Taylor snatched himself one marker and was robbed of at least three others. The defence duo of Jamieson and Shannon worked like fiends, Jamieson also taking time out from his blue line chores to sink one tally.

The play-making of Bobby Love featured the navy attack. The diminutive centre star banged in one goal and dunked past Slattery for two important counters. Floyd Currie was virtually flying all night, time and again free-wheeling the length of the rink as if jet-propelled. Dillon, Lukasik and Davey were the others to shine for the victors.

ATTEND Y.P. COUNCILS

Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson, Capt. Hugh Maclean, Norcen Kirbyson, Zilpah Lavender, Mr. and Mrs. Morley Woodruff, Carl and Lowell Woodruff, Leonard Kirbyson and Allan Stewart attended the annual Salvation Army Young People's Councils held in the Masonic Hall, Toronto, on Sunday. The theme of the meetings was Ambassadors for Christ. Commissioner Benj. Ormes was the speaker.

RED CROSS CAMPAIGN

Total to Wednesday \$1,527
Objective 7,500
With the Red Cross campaign nearing the end of its first two weeks, only one-fifth of the objective has been subscribed. The Red Cross appeals to every citizen to do his utmost to help make the campaign a success. The need for funds to enable the Red Cross to do its work of mercy grows hourly. Do not let them down. If you are overlooked by a canvasser, make your donation at either of the two banks in Newmarket.

DRUG STORE RECEIVES PENICILLIN SHIPMENT

Two hundred thousand Oxford units of penicillin, "the wonder drug," have been received by Bell's I.D.A. drugstore where it is available through doctor's prescription only. The drug is kept in a refrigerator and the amount is valued at six dollars. There is just enough to cover the bottom of a small vat.

In appearance, the drug resembles coarse, granulated sugar, yellow in color. It is manufactured from mould and was discovered in 1929 in England. A potent anti-bacterial agent, it has had wide use among wounded soldiers.

HONEYMOON IS SPENT AT OTTAWA

The marriage of Miss Nelda Declare, Reg. N., second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Declare, Winchester, to Cpl. Michael Thompson, R.C.A.F., youngest son of Mr. Arthur Thompson, and the late Mrs. Thompson, Newmarket, took place on Monday at the United church parsonage at Winchester. Rev. N. J. Thomas performed the ceremony. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Thomas.

The bride was attended by her eldest sister, Pte. Myrtle Declare, C.W.A.C., and the best man was Ross Reaney, Winchester.

The bride wore a white sheer street-length dress on classic lines, with the bodice embroidered in sequins, and a corsage of red roses. Her arm bouquet was of red roses, white carnations and maiden-hair fern.

The bridesmaid wore a two-piece turquoise suit. Her bouquet was yellow roses and pink carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents.

For travelling the bride chose a blue wool dress and accessories and a black seal coat.

The groom's gift to the bride was a wrist watch set with diamonds. Later the young couple left for a short honeymoon to Ottawa. Cpl. Thompson reported to Moncton, N.B., March 12.

Under a new order of Canada's construction controller a permit must now be obtained for construction, repair, addition or alteration of any building, other than a plant, that costs more than \$500.

Veterans of this war may now obtain insurance at low rates in multiples of \$500 up to \$10,000 Act administered by the department under the Veterans' Insurance ment of veterans' affairs.

AGRICULTURE TO HAVE PLACE IN HIGH SCHOOL; APPROVE PLAN OF WING

The meeting of the Newmarket high school board Monday was featured by the passing of a resolution to apply to the provincial department of education for permission to introduce the teaching of "agricultural science and agriculture in addition to shop work and home economics; and that this board provide accommodation for the teaching of these subjects at the school."

The resolution was passed unanimously following discussion among board members and the reading of a resolution from the Newmarket East Farm Radio Forum, urging steps to be taken to introduce the teaching of agriculture in the high school curriculum.

"The teaching of agriculture could be provided under the present set-up and with the present teachers in the first two grades," A. N. Belugin, acting chairman in the absence of Gordon L. Manning, declared. "We are told by the agriculture department inspector, Norman Davies, that to speed the adoption of agriculture teaching he would give the principal, J. W. Lockhart, a temporary certificate to teach as he has the qualifications."

It was agreed by the board that the teaching of agriculture would necessitate adding another storey to the proposed vocational wing and the secretary, Allan M. Mills, was instructed to write to the architects for estimates of the cost.

The full text of the resolution follows:

"After considerable discussion, on motion of Mr. Patterson, seconded by Mr. Boag and unanimously carried, the following resolution was passed: Whereas, 'having regard to the demand of this farming community for education which will provide our students with a course of instruction in agricultural subjects, as advocated by the department of agriculture and pursuing our policy of offering a wide choice of options in the course of study to enable the students to acquire an education which would assist them to follow a way of living most suited to their inclinations and abilities, thereby making it necessary to provide a composite curriculum consisting of academic, commercial, vocational and agricultural courses; Therefore be it resolved that this board apply to the department of education for its approval to introduce the teaching of agricultural science and agriculture in addition to shop work and home economics; and that this board provide accommodation for the teaching of these subjects at the school."

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of that portion of the minutes of a meeting of the Newmarket High School Board held on March 12, 1945, containing the resolution of the board to introduce the teaching of agricultural science and agriculture at the

Federation Meets On Tues. At Richmond Hill

Having secured as one of their guest speakers, Kenneth Betzner of Waterloo, provincial president, the executive of the York County Federation is bending every effort to have a full attendance of members at their annual meeting at Richmond Hill Tuesday. Miss Mary A. Clark, Toronto, superintendent of the Women's Institute, will also be a guest speaker. Gordon Orr of Maple, first president of the Ontario Junior Farmers' Association, will have a brief report on the work of the Junior Farmers. The meeting will be held in the Richmond Hill Masonic hall on Tuesday, March 20, at 1.30 p.m., and will be presided over by the president, W. J. Buchanan of Downsview.

BINGO HELPS RED CROSS

A total of \$26 was raised for the Red Cross at special games at the Newmarket Veterans' Association bingo in the town hall on Wednesday evening of last week.

Door-prize winners were Sam Grainger, who took home a dozen American Beauty roses, and Mrs. Ben Legge, Huron St., who carried away a basket of groceries.

SEE PROFESSIONALS

The winners of the public schools' hockey play-offs enjoyed the Leaf-Bruin game at Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto on Saturday night, according to all reports. The boys in the team were taken to Toronto in cars driven by Fred Thompson, Frank Courtney, Victor Giovanelli, Eddie Gibson, Cecil Taylor, Barney Peterman and Principal H. A. Jackson.

MEET NEXT WEEK

The Senior Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Congregational-Christian church will meet at the church at 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, March 22.

PROJECTOR FOR SCHOOLS URGED

A committee to look into the possibility of purchasing a film projector and sound equipment for the Newmarket public schools was named at the meeting of the public school board in the council chambers on Friday evening. Members of the committee are C. Morden Carter, Rudy Reznus and Mrs. J. C. R. Edwards. Chairman Dr. G. E. Case was in the chair.

The subject was brought to the attention of the board by Principal H. A. Jackson.

Mr. Jackson said the matter had previously been considered by another board who agreed on the value of visual education, but lacked the funds to make the purchase.

"I have investigated the matter and it would necessitate investing \$490 in a projector and equipment, \$51.90 on a screen, as well as the price of blackout curtains and 45 folding chairs," said Mr. Jackson.

"We have no spare room in which the films could be shown. The only place we could show the films now would be in the halls of the schools."

"Wouldn't the sound interfere with the classroom next to whatever hall you were using?" asked Mr. Carter.

"Yes, it might," replied Mr. Jackson.

Vice-Principal Fred L. Hall said he thought the halls of Alexander Muir school were too small to be used for the showing of films.

Mr. Carter suggested obtaining the use of the parish hall of a church for using the projector. "There would already be chairs there, and you would have the right type of room for that purpose."

Secretary R. L. Pritchard told the board he had received a letter from the Medical Officer of Health, Dr. J. H. Wesley, in which he said that of 250 public school children who, at their parents' request, were given tuberculosis skin tests, only 19 showed any reaction. Those children were x-rayed by the M.O.H. and the pictures were sent to Toronto to be read. The M.O.H. said he had received word from Toronto that in none of these cases was there active tuberculosis.

The fuel bill for the public schools in 1944, Mr. Pritchard told the board, amounted to \$3,138, as compared to \$2,010 in 1939, with the difference being chiefly due to the poor quality of coal available at present.

SEEK OPINIONS ON HOLDING FALL FAIR

A meeting to discuss the prospects for a fall fair this year has been called by President W. J. Lake of the Sutton Agriculture Society for March 23 at 8 p.m. at the Sutton public library. Officers, members and exhibitors are urged to attend and participate in the discussion of the possibilities for a fair this fall.

The last fair was in 1939 and succeeding fairs have been postponed because of the war. "We are anxious to resume the fairs," G. S. Whitney, secretary-treasurer of the society, stated, "providing we have the support we need."

VOWS ARE TAKEN AT BRIDE'S HOME

The home of the bride's parents, Claremont, was the scene of the wedding on March 10 of Eileen, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Linton, and Paul Wellman, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wellman, Claremont. Rev. Mr. Kennedy officiated.

Miss Mildred Linton, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. Raymond Stickwood, a brother-in-law of the bride, acted as best man. Mrs. Raymond Stickwood, another sister, played the wedding music. Mrs. Kennedy sang during the signing of the register.

The bride wore a turquoise sheer frock with a lace bodice and carried red roses. The bridesmaid wore mauve sheer and carried pink roses.

The happy couple left amid showers of confetti for a short honeymoon.

THEY EACH GOT A PIECE

A young English girl in a junior form at Boston high school (England), caused quite a sensation among her friends when she took a banana with her to school. Many of the girls had never seen one before. The girl cut the banana into 20 pieces and shared it.

"We are most encouraged by the response of the provincial department of education to our application for approval of the plans for the proposed vocational wing," Acting Chairman A. N. Belugin declared at the meeting of the Newmarket high school board Monday night. "I don't know what the town solicitor, N. L. Mathews, told the department but since he investigated the department's reaction towards grants for the wing, we have had what I feel to be definite indications of the department's approval."

Mr. Belugin read a letter from J. P. Cowles on behalf of the department which said:

"The minister approves the plans insofar as the building is concerned. It is possible that some further consideration should be given to the layout of the general shop. This matter could be taken care of when consideration is being given to the purchase of equipment. Your board may be assured that the plans are acceptable to this department and should proceed to obtain the approval of the department of municipal affairs and the federal controller of construction before calling for tenders."

In view of their decision to include agriculture in the curriculum, the board held off further action on the proposed vocational wing until estimates on the third storey for the wing had been received from the architects.

MR. AND MRS. HORNER WED 50 YEARS MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. H. Horner, North Gwillimbury, will observe the 50th anniversary of their marriage Monday, March 19.

Residents of the township for over 40 years, Mr. and Mrs. Horner farmed on the 5th concession, one and a half miles north of Belhaven, until ten years ago, when their son, Harry, married and settled on the old farm. They then moved to a small farm across the road, where they still reside.

Besides their son they have two daughters, Mrs. Harland Huntley (Della), Willow Beach, Lake Simcoe, and Mrs. Marshall Reive, (Ferne), Churchill, and two grandchildren.

Owing to the poor health of Mrs. Horner, the couple expect to spend the day quietly at home.

HOME FROM ACTION



Photographed with his brother, LAC Bruce Love, right, overseas, is Rfmn. Murray Love, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Love, Newmarket. Rfmn. Love recently returned home on leave following hospitalization from wounds received overseas.

ATTENTION LAWN BOWLERS

Membership cards for the Newmarket Men's Lawn Bowling club are now available and prospective members should get in touch with the club secretary, C. F. Willis.

Officials point out that the club's fees are the lowest in the country and ask members to get their membership cards as soon as possible in order to help the financing of the club.

The membership cards list the tournaments to be played, the first on May 30 when a men's doubles will be bowled at Newmarket.

TAKES PART IN QUIZ

Capt. and Mrs. Arthur Robinson, Capt. Hugh Maclean, Norcen Kirbyson, Zilpah Lavender and Lowell Woodruff attended the Youth Rally in Toronto on Saturday evening. Zilpah Lavender was a contestant in the Bible quiz and tune recognition contest. The boys won by three points.

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ANOTHER FORWARD STEP

In their efforts to provide Newmarket and district with the best in secondary school education, the Newmarket High School Board on Monday night voted unanimously to provide for the teaching of agriculture as well as vocational subjects. At present, Newmarket high school offers both academic and commercial training. Agriculture could be taught in the first two grades with the present facilities. The proposed vocational wing would enable an extension of agriculture teaching to include practical training as well as theory.

The need of vocational and agricultural training at Newmarket high school is most apparent in the percentage of students which complete the present courses. There are 90 students enrolled in grade nine at the high school this year. There are only 18 enrolled in the fifth year. A breakdown of enrollment shows:

Grade 9 10 11 12 13
Enrollment 90 65 53 46 18

Only 20 percent of the number enrolled are completing their years at the high school. It is reasonable to conclude that the high school curriculum is favorable to only a minority of the students.

Provision for vocational and agricultural training, in themselves important, would also be a means of encouraging students to complete their secondary school education. The provincial department of education has authorized courses towards that end. Because of its present limited facilities, Newmarket high school is unable to take full advantage of these provisions. The success of the provincial schedule has been demonstrated at Port Perry high school where there was a high increase in pupils remaining at school. The proposed vocational wing will give Newmarket high school the same advantage.

NAPS THREATENED

A situation has arisen in Newmarket which is most trying to the male, at least to those who have been accustomed to an after-supper nap while the little woman bustled about with the dishes. Apparently, the habit is meeting with strenuous objections from wives and the after-supper nap has become subject to serious controversy.

Our informant on these matters, a confirmed nap-addict who already shows the strain placed on him through the loss of his nap, tells us he has tried every device known to domestic life in an effort to put in his nap. He has tried hiding behind the newspaper, he has pleaded a sick headache "which a little nap would cure," he has pretended to be fixing the furnace and instead curled up in the coal bin. He has even pleaded that freedom to nap, while not mentioned at the Atlantic conference, was nonetheless acknowledged there in spirit and should be recognized by wives. But all in vain. He has been summoned to the kitchen in a voice that brooked no napping.

Was our informant down-hearted? Not he. "I have just begun to fight," he told us. "One by one we have lost our rights. One by one those things we called our own have been taken from us. Now this last fortress of masculine custom, the after-supper nap, is under fire. But we will stand fast. Brothers! Let us proclaim the Emancipation of Man." With these final, ringing words he left us.

Textile Town

MAGOG THRIVES ON COTTON

Many a town in Canada might envy this thriving Quebec community. Magog—a typical textile town. Its progress and prosperity have been built on years of steady work provided for its citizens by textiles, the only big industry in the town. Adult males employed in Dominion Textile mills earn an average of \$30.44 a week, and this substantial block of buying power in Magog is smart enough to support 118 retail outlets, many of them smart modern shops that would be priced in metropolitan centers. It has an enviable public health record too. All this comes from the presence of a stable fair-paying industry.

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He has our deepest sympathy. Let us hope that the dispute will be settled by arbitration and not by what the auctioneer called the peace-maker in the home, the rolling pin.

THE MAIN ISSUE

In his remarks at Richmond Hill on Friday, J. W. Noseworthy, C.C.F. member of Parliament for York South, declared that "the C.C.F. . . . has persistently maintained that the state, through a government responsible to the people, must assume direct responsibility for the economic welfare of its citizens."

At the present time, the government assumes a certain amount of responsibility for the economic welfare of citizens through such measures as unemployment insurance, housing grants, family bonuses, and so on. In another field, it has passed legislation against the activities of loan sharks, certain market and corporation practices which would infringe upon the citizens' economic welfare.

Is Mr. Noseworthy's statement, then, to be interpreted as meaning a continuance of this policy until all loopholes through which the citizens' economic welfare would be threatened are plugged? In other words, the citizen would be given the maximum of protection and insurance against economic disaster.

Or is Mr. Noseworthy's statement to be interpreted in the terms of his party's political platform, namely state ownership and state control. If the latter interpretation, Mr. Noseworthy presumably means that the government would assume responsibility for the economic security of the citizens by taking control of those undertakings on which that security depends.

There seems to us, in these alternative interpretations, an issue which, as it is decided at the polls, will have the greatest influence in defining our concept of a government's duties and obligations. Is the government to become the directing agency for all activities within the nation, or is it to continue as the restraining agency? Is the government, through the ownership and control of a national economy to become the absolute director of the activities of business and industry, or will the government continue to serve, through legislation, as the guarantor of individual rights from the trespasses of business and industry?

If a government is to remain a democratic government, that is, a government representative of the people and subject to the people's recall, we believe that the government must continue in the latter capacity. For a government to be elected in a democratic manner, it is necessary that the electors be under no pressure whatsoever. If a government has absolute control over the economic welfare of the citizens, that guarantee is forfeited.

The fallacy in Mr. Noseworthy's statement if that statement is to be interpreted in the sense of government ownership and control, is, we believe, found in the words "the state, through a government responsible to the people, must assume direct responsibility . . ." The state cannot assume the direct responsibility in terms of ownership and control and still remain responsible to the people. The only guarantee that the government would remain responsible to the people is a moral one. No government has ever adhered to moral responsibilities over any period of time.

In Passing

When certain animals of a few million years ago learned to talk, they became men; when these men learned to write and read, they became civilized; when they learned to print they made civilization secure. Were all who can read and write destroyed tomorrow, the next generation would in a few years learn anew all that civilization has to give, and would learn it from the books that printers have made. Truly, civilization rests upon the printers.—John Cotton Dana.

Official estimates of the payments on family allowances place Ontario's share at \$75 million annually. The Ontario Liberal News has broken this down by counties. Based on 1941 age-group ratios, the unofficial figures indicate a monthly distribution in York county of: rural, \$355,407; urban, \$1,161,918; total, \$1,417,325.

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

By PRINCIPAL W. J. LOCKHART

As a result of the numerous reports from our local newspaper regarding the expected addition of a vocational wing to our high school, you are probably aware of the sweeping changes which have taken place in the provincial system of school grants.

Three great steps have been taken towards the provision of more nearly equal educational opportunities to every boy and girl in the province: first, by the provision of state aid to impeding students, second, by the enlargement of local administrative units and third, by assuming a much greater share of the cost of operating the elementary and secondary schools. Last year the Dominion-Provincial Bursary enabled 518 impecunious but capable scholars whose formal education would have otherwise have ended before now, to attend university, normal school and grade 13 of our secondary schools.

In December of last year the department announced its new schedule of grants under which the government assumes from five to 75 percent of the cost of education depending on the mill rate of the school area. This is calculated by dividing the approved cost of operating the school by the assessment and multiplying the result by 1,000. In Newmarket the local levy last year was 7.5 mills which would mean a 40 percent grant. However, by computing it on the aforementioned scheme the grant in Newmarket is 75 percent approximately. In addition to this grant there is an additional grant of \$10 per pupil of average attendance. It does not take a great deal of thought to realize the benefit to the municipality as a whole and to the taxpayer in particular.

The second change which is an important one from the standpoint of the pupil is the addition of vocational or educational guidance as a compulsory subject to the grade nine curriculum. Vocational guidance or, as it is frequently termed in the U.S., personnel work, is by no means a new subject. American educational institutions have for many years been doing personnel work or guidance as a regular part of their school curriculum. It is to them that we owe a great deal for the present high degree of perfection in the conduct and application of the principles of guidance. Although the spade work has been done in the states, there are several schools in Ontario that have been doing this type of work for several years. Among these are Hamilton, London, East York and Toronto. At the present time these schools have well-established departments and programs of guidance in the charge of especially trained directors. In these schools the program carries through all grades in the school and in some for several years after graduation. So important is this type of work considered that the department of education has created a director of vocational guidance for the province and no doubt the guidance program will become a compulsory part of the timetable in all grades in all schools of the province.

What is guidance? In plain language it is the fitting of round pegs in round holes and square pegs in square holes. In other words it is the judicious guiding of the boy or girl into the field of occupations for which he is best suited by reason of his intelligence, his aptitudes, his interests and his abilities.

The scope of the guidance program and the extent to which it can be carried out is limited by two factors. (1) the size of the school and (2) the ability to provide instruction in all the subjects mentioned in the course of study. The men and women entrusted with the construction of the present course of study no doubt knew what they were doing when they provided such a wide selection of subjects on the grade nine course. This grade, the first in the high school, must be considered as exploratory year. It provides the pupil and teachers an opportunity to determine those subjects in which the pupil is most interested and most likely to succeed, so that in the second year he can make a choice of course including only those subjects to his liking. Unfortunately this school is limited in its ability to provide the whole field of subjects provided in the course of studies for grade nine and as a result we are prevented from offering the full range of courses in the following years. Our school board has recognized this deficiency and is very desirous to provide shopwork and home economics and agriculture so that provision can be made for as wide a choice of courses as is possible for even the largest high schools to offer. Is the boy who is mechanically inclined to be expected to take a language and succeed? Or is the girl who continually fails in science to be required to lose out on this account when in all likelihood she would excel in home economics? This is the question which the board is facing and doing its utmost to overcome. They are to be commended for their ability to foresee the benefits not only for the present and future generations but also to the men who will be returning from overseas and will be in need of rehabilitation.

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THE COMMON ROUND

By ISABEL INGLIS COLVILLE

WHAT I WANT

I have listened to so many forecasts of late, farm, citizens', town hall and any other which presents itself, that what I want seems lost in the difficulties that apparently surround peace-time planning.

To me simple folk the ideals we have fought for on land, sea, air, in factories, farms and homes seem easy of achievement. If we can marshal our entire country—man power, woman power and wealth—to attain the downfall of evil ideologies, why cannot we marshal those same forces to attain the downfall of fear, want, unemployment, intolerance of race and creed, political abuse of power?

I heard one speaker on a forum say that all we need can be secured "by the PEOPLE." Well, maybe, but the people will take a deal of education to know WHAT they want, WHY they want it and HOW to go about getting it.

A great many people seem to think that the thing which would satisfy them would be to revert to the status quo of before the war, but when one thinks of the depression and the advantage taken

25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, March 12, 1919.

The entire spring output in W. S. Perrin's greenhouse was destroyed by frost while Mr. Perrin and his family were confined to the house with flu. The loss ranges from \$1,000 to \$12,000.

The first meeting of the new board of directors of Newmarket's Fair Association took place in J. C. Steckley's office on Tuesday evening. John H. Proctor, president, was in the chair. Directors present included J. C. Steckley, J. P. Denno, Walter Haines, Edgar Dennis, J. F. Harvey, and the secretary, Wm. Keith.

Never since the time of Cool Burgess, 30 years ago, has there been given to Newmarket audience a minstrel show that in any way approached the one presented in the town hall last Friday night by the Methodists of the west side of town. The proceeds of the entertainment amounted to about \$150.

Edwin Watson, who works at Cane's factory, had his finger squeezed pretty badly with an elevator chain on Monday.

Old Sol exerted his influence on the snow banks the last couple of days and reduced them considerably.

There was not a very large market last Saturday. Buyers were offering 60 cents for butter and eggs but sellers demanded 65 cents from townspeople. Chickens sold readily at 45 cents a pound.

Rev. Willoe J. Hall, a former pastor of Newmarket Christian church, was in town on Sunday and preached at the morning service in connection with the Forward Movement of the denomination.

Dr. Dales has his "shingle" displayed, which means he is ready to start practice.

E. E. Muirhead and S. F. Doan are in New York on a business trip.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, March 15, 1895.

The trains from the north were delayed by snow drifts again yesterday.

The annual meeting of the town football league will be held in Mr. Robertson's parlors on Tuesday evening.

A meeting will be held in Geo. Little's parlors to re-organize the 2nd Twelve lacrosse club.

Signs of the opening of spring trade are beginning to develop at Cane's factory. Yesterday a carload of wooden-ware was shipped to Vancouver, B.C.

Over 40 ladies assembled at the residence of Mrs. Chas. Lundy last Friday afternoon to surprise Mrs. Lydia Lewis, who is moving to Toronto. They presented her with a rocker and parlor table to match.

The mercury went down to 20 below zero again Monday morning and 10 below Tuesday. The present winter will go down in history not only for its intense and continuous cold, but because it has been more prolific in storms which have blocked highways and railroads than any other season.

Warden Stokes was in town on Monday.

The Congregational church property will be offered by auction tomorrow.

Wm. Mann of Keswick has leased the house on Prospect St. vacated by Mrs. Delia Bogart from Isaac Silver.

MARRIED—At Aurora, on Wednesday, March 6, 1895, at the residence of Mr. Jas. Anderson, brother-in-law of the bride, by Rev. W. Amos, George Albert Brown, Glenville, to Miss Minnie Tustain, youngest daughter of Mr. Richard Tustain of the township of King.

MARRIED—At the residence of the bride's mother, on March 13, 1895, by Rev. Mr. Weaver of Aurora, E. O. Chappell to Miss Etta Hutchinson, both of the township of King.

Sandy: "I hear that you and Maggie have been reconciled and are to be married after all?"

Mac: "Quite right. You see, Maggie has put on weight and we couldn't get the engagement ring off her finger."

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WHAT I WANT

of it by men to secure cheap labor, of the fact that boys and girls leaving school and college were either forced to accept miserably inadequate jobs or live a life of idleness or worse; that teachers were paid salaries which we should blush to remember and that many people had to sell or mortgage their homes to have the bare necessities of life, then I say, no status quo ante for me. I do not think that any, unless hopelessly confirmed optimists, expect the world to be made over overnight.

When we read of the destruction war has wrought in so many countries, we know it will take years of labor to restore those cities to even living condition and much is unobtainable—is that a word? But at any rate, it will be building up, not tearing down and we all know the lift to morale that the creation of ANYTHING gives, be it a quilt or a cathedral.

We would like to see education ruled to the place where it belongs for it, too, is a builder. The teachers of today are buying, stone by stone, or child by child, if you will, the Canada of tomorrow and I hope to live to see two things taught in our public schools, university, religion and French in English-speaking schools, English in French schools.

Only so, it seems to me, will any degree of progress in Canadian unity be achieved. If I had my say, children in this bi-lingual land would learn each other's language from the second grade on. Then it's easiest for the children and don't say I don't know, for I have taught children French and they pick it up as pigeons pick up peas.

I would like to see Canada as a great and useful member of that wonderful organization, the British Commonwealth of Nations. We have so much to offer, so many untouched resources. We are so strategically placed between two great powers that, understanding both, we can help toward a real Anglo-Canadian-American understanding which can smooth out many world tangles.

I would have a Canadian school for statesmen where men of real ability and good will would learn to contact other men of like mind and in doing so solve knotty problems of diplomacy and commerce. In the meantime I'd like to go bed without thinking of all the want and misery, hunger and cold and hate with which the poor old world is inundated. I'd like to see our boys, who have done OUR work on the battlefield of the world, come home to a Canada ready for them—ready with a great welcome and work for all.

I'd like to see labor given its place in the sun—not grudgingly—but because the world realizes that it lives BY labor. And I want oh selfish me—to be able to subscribe for the National Geographic—they won't accept subscriptions now—and to have enough butter for all.

Forgive the last two but I got keyed up thinking of what I'd like for Canada and the world and there had to be a let down. But I do hope there will be a day when "man to man the world over will brothers be, for a' that!"

ALL Fronts

THE RED CROSS SERVES

AT HOME

ABROAD

ON LAND & SEA

The Canadian Red Cross stands by ready to help your serviceman wherever he may be, on all the battle fronts throughout the world. Wherever war has wrought its desolation the Red Cross is ready to aid in comforting those who are suffering.

The prisoner of war . . . the desolate, the homeless of war-torn countries . . . Innocent children and old people, all alike look to the Red Cross for a helping hand.

Because the Red Cross depends entirely upon public support—since it cannot accept money from any government and retain its international privileges—the Red Cross must look to YOU to do your part in financing these invaluable services.

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You can still save a life with a Blood Donation. Inquire at your nearest Red Cross Clinic.

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MOUNT ALBERT MOUNT ALBERT FORMS REHABILITATION GROUP

(March 8)
Mrs. Ira Thirk and Miss Margaret Thirk, Toronto, spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. H. Carson last week.
Miss Gloria Oldham, a pupil of Miss E. Leek, played at the Kiwanis Music Festival last week.
Mrs. Fred Pegg recently received word from her son, Raymond, who is in Australia.
At a recent meeting of representatives of all the organizations of the community to form a rehabilitation committee, the following were named: chairman, H. Leadbetter; sec-treas., H. J. Thompson; reception com., H. Leadbetter, convenor, C. Rose, Roy Carr, Mrs. W. L. Carruthers, W. Storach; victory day service com., Mrs. M. Stokes, convenor, C. Rose, H. J. Thompson, L. Oldham, Roy Carr, C. Peterson.
Mrs. Reg Willbee has moved into Mrs. Brook's house on Main St. Miss Peggy Willbee has given up her position in Toronto to assist her mother in the post office.
Mrs. Lyla Pearson, Cobourg, was in town on Friday for a short visit.
Mrs. Verna Royce is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Harmon and Mrs. Shields.
Ronald Allison, Toronto, was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Allison over the weekend.
Miss Etta Stokes and Mrs. Don

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You can often check a cold quickly you follow these instructions. Just as soon as you feel the cold coming on and experience headache, pains the back or limbs, soreness through a body, take a Paradol tablet, a good drink of hot lemonade or ginger tea and go to bed.
The Paradol affords almost immediate relief from the pains and aches and helps you to get off to sleep. The dose may be repeated, if necessary, according to the directions. If there is soreness of the throat, gargle with two Paradol tablets dissolved in water. Just before the next time you have a cold we believe that you will be helped. Paradol does not disappoint.

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These little pigs won't be ready for market for a few weeks yet—but with all the fine, growthy development they're showing now, it won't be long till they're on their way to Britain as Select Grade Wiltshires to boost the reputation for Canadian bacon that Canadian farmers have been building on the overseas market for the past five years!

Well-informed hog growers know that careful feeding of the young pigs, from the first nibble they take, makes the difference between economical gains that insure profits and unprofitable, long-term feeding.

Baby pigs will start to look around for solid food at three weeks of age. If you don't give them their own they'll try their mother's ration. Then is the time to get them feeding right—which means creep feeding of SHUR-GAIN Pig Starter—the baby pig feed that has the well-balanced content of proteins, minerals and vitamins that are needed by every young pig.

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DON. SMITH
QUEENSVILLE, PHONE 3000

Degeer, Toronto, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stokes.
Ken Case, Petawawa camp, was home on leave a few days this week.
Mrs. J. MacGillivray and Marta, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. MacGillivray's sister-in-law, Mrs. W. L. Carruthers.
John Calver, R.C.A.F., Trenton, Mrs. Calver and twin daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calver over Sunday.
Beth Theaker and Gloria Oldham were successful competitors in piano at the Kiwanis Music Festival in Toronto. They are pupils of Miss Elizabeth Leek.

MOUNT ALBERT MRS. E. WAGG WAS LOVER OF FLOWERS

(March 8)
Mrs. E. Wagg died on Friday evening after a lingering illness at her home in Mount Albert. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and was married 50 years ago.
Mrs. Wagg was a great lover of flowers. Her home was a beautiful place and she had always a kindly welcome for all who came to visit.
The funeral service was conducted at her home on Monday afternoon by Rev. W. H. Burgess of the United church, of which the family are faithful members. Interment was made in Mount Albert cemetery.
Mrs. Wagg is survived by her husband, and one son, Gordon, Belleville, one daughter, Grace (Mrs. Roy Stewart), at home, a sister, and brother, Miss Edith Smith and John Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Longhurst will be at home to their friends and neighbors on Saturday, March 17, on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary.
The last in the series of illustrated sermons was given in the United church on Sunday evening when Rev. W. H. Burgess gave Tales from Tyndal. The pictures were good and the congregation got a splendid idea of the missionary work done on that island.

MOUNT PLEASANT

Mount Pleasant, March 8—The big snow banks are gradually disappearing.
Some residents are talking of making maple syrup.
It has been difficult for wood cutters to work in the deep snow this winter.
Mrs. Bernard Davidson and Mrs. Robt. Davidson had Red Cross quiltings at their homes the past week.
Mrs. Ross Stiles and Mrs. Lloyd Stiles are quilting this week for the Red Cross.
Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cryderman and Earle spent Saturday afternoon at Mr. Robt. Davidson's.
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Stiles had Sunday dinner at Keswick with Mrs. Stiles' parents.



The two lovely children pictured above are Terry and Gail Jaques, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Jaques, R. R. 2, Newmarket. Terry is two years old and Gail is three. Photo by Budd.

AUCTION SALE

Of Fordson tractor, tractor equipment, dual purpose cattle, horses, swine, hay, turnips, farm implements and household furniture the property of

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will be sold at west half lot 37, con. 1, Uxbridge, 40 rods south of Union school on

WED., MARCH 21

HORSES

1 Grey gelding, 9 years, H.D.
1 Brown gelding, aged, G.P.

CATTLE

1 Red and white cow, 5 years, bred and milking
1 Hereford cow, 4 years, bred and milking
1 Holstein cow, 6 years, calf at side
1 Red cow, 8 years, bred and milking
1 Red polled cow, 5 years, bred and milking
1 Red cow, 5 years, fresh, calf at side
1 Black cow, 7 years, fresh, calf at side
1 Red cow, 3 years, fresh, calf at side
1 Hereford cow, 3 years, fresh, calf at side
1 Polled Angus bull, purebred, 3 years
1 Polled Angus bull, purebred, rising 1 year
2 Friesian steers, app. 1,000 lbs.
Holstein heifers, rising 2 years
1 Red heifer, rising 2 years
3 Angus heifers, yearlings
3 Steers, Shorthorn and Angus, yearling
6 Angus and Shorthorn calves

SWINE

1 Yorkshire sow, 2nd litter, bred 2 months

HAY AND FEED

Quantity of mixed hay
Quantity of turnips and mangels

HARNESS

1 Team set back band harness, new
1 Team set back band harness
4 Horse collars

IMPLEMENTS

1 Ford Ferguson tractor on rubber tires, equipped with Sedore depth control, good as new
1 2-furrow tractor plow, 12-in. bottom, for Fordson tractor, new
1 17-tooth, 8-ft. spring tooth cultivator for Fordson tractor, as new
1 McDeering 6-ft. binder, good
1 McDeering 6-ft. mower, oil bath, as new
1 McDeering 10-ft. hay rack, new
1 Cockshutt hay tedder
1 McDeering 13-disc seed drill with seeder attachment, good
1 John Deere No. 5 manure spreader, good
1 Gall 10-inch hammer-mill, as new
60-ft. 7-inch rubber belt, new
2 Sels steel truck wagons
1 Astorwall potato digger
1 Fleury turnip pulper
1 8-ft. steel land roller
1 Cockshutt 2-furrow gang plow
1 Fleury 2-furrow gang plow
1 International single walking plow
1 International walking scuffler, new
1 Section diamond drag harrow
1 Anker Holtz No. 8 electric cream separator, 25 cycle
1 Massey-Harris 13-tooth cultivator
1 Disc harrow, double disc, as new
1 Potato sprayer
1 John Deere 2-row riding scuffler
2 Acid fire extinguishers, 2 1/2 gal. cap.
1 Portable platform on wheels for stationary engine
1 Massey-Harris 5-ft. mower
4 Gas drums, 40-gal. cap.
1 Service station gas pump for 40-gal. drums
1 16-ft. hay rack
1 Stock rack
1 Cutting box
Bench bob sleighs
1 Gravel bottom
1 Leading chive
1 2-wheeled cart
1 Buggy, wagon box
1 Cutter
1 Bagholder
1 Grind stone
1 Cross-cut saw
1 Turnip drill
1 Pig Box
Number of bags
1 Fanning mill
1 Swede saw

FURNITURE

1 Chesterfield in figured rep, steel coil springs
1 Moffat electric range with oven, 25 cycle, 4 elements
1 Extension dining-room table
6 Dining-room chairs
1 Parlor table
1 3-piece bedroom suite, light oak
1 Felt mattress
1 Arm chair
1 Buffet and china cabinet combined
1 Sideboard with mirror
1 Axminster rug, 8x12
Round parlor table
1 Kitchen table
1 Chest of drawers
1 Barrel churn
1 Upright heater for wood or coal
4 Bird cages with stands
2 Man's bicycle
Quantity of glass jars
Other articles too numerous to mention
Sale at 12 o'clock sharp. Terms cash. No reserve as owner is retiring from active farming.
STANLEY MILLER, Zephyr Auctioneer

KESWICK ROBT. P. DYER DIES AFTER HEART ATTACK


(March 8)
Robert P. Dyer, Keswick, died following a heart attack while fishing at Lake Simcoe on Sunday, 100 yards from where his brother, Wm. Dyer, was stricken with a heart attack three years and one month ago.
Mr. Dyer was born in Essex, England, on April 4, 1872, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dyer. He married Annie Stock on May 12, 1898.
Mr. Dyer was a gardener. For 35 years he was a slate and tile roofer in Toronto. He was a member of the Anglican church.
Surviving are his wife, three sons, Robert and William, Toronto, and Walter, home from overseas, one daughter, Mrs. Robert Keith, Stratford, one sister, Mrs. George Strader, Toronto, three grandsons and two granddaughters.
The pallbearers were Robert Keith, Carl Anderson, Art King, Fredrick Hundey, Jerry Nicklin and Albert Oselton.
Rev. Gordon Lapp conducted the funeral service at the Stralser Funeral home, Queensville, on Wednesday afternoon. Interment was made in Queensville cemetery.

PEFFERLAW

Pefferlaw, March 8—The Pefferlaw W.I. met at the home of Mrs. Christians. The meeting opened with community singing. Mrs. Harry Corner was at the piano. Several letters were read from navy boys who had received ditty bags. Report from the sunshine committee showed a keen interest was taken in their work. Mrs. Willard Arnold gave a short talk about the consumers' news. Plans were made to quilt at Mrs. Joe Laviollette's on March 8 all day. The ladies were to take their lunch. There was material for a quilt donated by Mrs. Harry Corner. Mrs. E. West took the material and will make it into a butterfly pattern quilt. Mrs. Harry Corner donated a little dresser writing desk filled with stationery. Tickets were sold and brought \$1.10. Mrs. Billaki was the winner. Mrs. E. West sold tickets on a loaf of bread she donated. It brought \$1.60. Final plans were made for a pot luck supper to be held in the basement of the United church, Virginia, on March 15. An entertainment will follow in the Virginia school house.
Mrs. E. West was convenor. Her paper was on publicity and proved educational. A poem, written by Elizabeth Hammon, was read. Mrs. Harry Corner read the report on the speaker's service as given by Mrs. E. Hayes at Aurora.
Lunch was served by the tea hostesses, Mrs. Billaki, Mrs. Vince O'Connell and Mr. Fred Hinchey.

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Liquor Permits will be *extended* (not re-issued) to March 31st, 1946 on application and payment of \$1.00 at any Liquor Control Board Store on and after March 19th, 1945.

The decision to extend the use of the present permits will effect a substantial saving in paper and printing costs, and is in keeping with present day conservation policies.

WILLIAM G. WEBSTER
Chief Commissioner

Letters to The Editor are always welcome

ASK FARMS BE SAVED FOR TOWNSHIP BOYS

The monthly meeting of East Gwillimbury township council was held in Sharon hall on Saturday, March 3.

The members were all present. The auditor's report for the year 1944 was read and accepted.

The council has made the following proposal to the town of Newmarket for the purpose of fire protection: That a retaining fee of \$100 be paid annually. That \$25 for chemical and \$35 for water, with a maximum charge of \$35 if both are used, will be allowed in North Newmarket and \$40 in other parts of the township. The above proposal is for the first hour and \$10 to be paid for each additional hour for service and equipment.

The council has made a request to the Soldiers' Settlement board that the farms purchased in the township be held for East Gwillimbury returned soldiers.

The International tender was accepted for the five-ton truck with snow plow and wing attached.

The road superintendent was ordered to purchase 20 tons of calcium chloride.

The treasurer was instructed to pay the general school grant amounting to \$11,782.

The following accounts were ordered paid: relief, L. E. Hamilton, \$26.64; E. P. Crittenden, \$10; Thos. Andrews, \$9.80; S. R. Goodwin, \$27.80; Township of North Gwillimbury, \$44.80; Bruce Rolling, \$30; David Green, \$24.50; Robert Davis, \$43; Kenneth Ross, \$8.

Miscellaneous: F. Milne, auditor, \$125; Mary Watson, care of indigent, \$26; E. R. Fry, stamps, \$3; E. W. Campbell, office supplies, \$14.50; York County registry office, \$3.10; hospital account, \$235.63; dept. of health, insulin, \$7.45; Toronto hospital, T.B. refills, \$6; Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, \$65.50; Cousins Dairy, indigent relief, \$16.32; J. E. Jardine, salary, \$90; J. L. Smith, salary, \$125; L. J. Parr, relief salary, \$10; Mrs. W. Clark, care of indigent, \$8.

Road accounts: advertising, \$5.25; fuel, oil and gas, \$108.97; repairs, \$437.79; snow plow rental, \$369; fuel tax, \$66.30; stamps, \$7.64; snow shovelling pay list, \$333.10; superintendent, \$115.

CARD FROM PRISONER

A prisoner of war postcard thanking the Newmarket Veterans' Soldiers' Comforts fund for cigarettes has been received from Sgt. F. C. Evans, son of Deputy-Reeve and Mrs. A. D. Evans. The address on the card was Stalag 357, and it was dated Dec. 12, 1944.

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DOWN THE CENTRE

Hall Port Credit, darkhorses of the local junior O.H.A. group at the beginning of the season who eventually emerged as group winners after a best series with Charlie Rowntree's Richmond Hill kids. The series went three games with the two teams winning at home by identical scores of 9-8. The third game went to Markham arena last Friday and the Ports came through with a resounding 9-1 win. It was only Normie Standen, sensational young Hill net-minder, who kept down the score.

The Ports took things seriously and got down to business in the playoffs. They met Eddie Burke's Barrie Colts in the first round and through. The Colts have been taking the best of the junior B clubs all season and defeated Oakville in the Motor City, whereas the Ports lost out. However, there's no telling.

Coach of the group winners is Ken Trotter, one of Toronto's best known mercantile players and former junior A star. Ken has done a fair chore since he took over late in the season. His assistant is that old smoothie of the ice lanes and Gordy Brydson, a junior player in Toronto who enjoyed some years in the National Hockey League and then retired to his summertime profession as golf pro at the famous Mississauga club, one of Canada's finest. He is much better known now for his golf prowess than for his hockey ability.

Lorne Smith, the defence star of the Port Credit team, is without question the outstanding player in the league. He is a two-way player, being as good on the offense as defence. In the series just played, he collected eight goals, getting four markers in one game. His partner is Roy Simms, who, while he is the bad boy of the group so far as penalties are concerned, is a mighty tough hombre to beat. Alex Milne has developed into an outstanding forward, collecting six scoring points in the final game. He is a brother of Scotty Milne, former football and hockey star of H.M.C.S. York. Bill Galbraith and Johnny Davison are other dandies on the front patrol and deadly marksmen too.

Warline replacements have started to pop up on all sides now the big games are on hand and four have been awarded to the Ports. Fink Tinsdale of Newmarket Redmen Capitals, who played little if at all with the Reds this season, has been signed as one of the quartet and a whole line has been borrowed from Murray Scruton's Etobicoke junior team, Currie, Cassidy and Ford. They are in good shape although the kids of the team are real assets. This is the first time we recall a team from Port Credit ever winning an O.H.A. group, Oakville, where the games are played, is of course no stranger to good hockey, being prominent in intermediate circles, once winning the title.

Ed Kimmner, who handled the training and managerial duties with Oakville when they had such stars as the Allen brothers, Blondie Sutcliffe, Sonny Townsley, Bert Peer and others, is the present manager of the Port Credit team. Oakville has contributed four players to the team including the ace forward trio.

Incidentally, snow, which just about destroyed Oakville rink, did damage to the extent of \$1,512.77, which the town council and parks commission went for. Seems a lot of money to put in such an old rink but the municipality has plans for revamping the present set-up after the war.

Junior trail reads as follows, Kingston, Vics, St. Mike's, Scarborough Rangers, Barrie, Port Credit, Stratford, Niagara Falls, Windsor or Sarnia. Favorites to win the title are St. Michael's, Oakville, who has such a surplus of good players. The Buzzers are nearly all imports too.

Remember Lieut. Dave Matheson, member of the first hockey club at Newmarket camp and onetime sports officer at No. 237 Dave, after a stretch overseas, is home in Canada and is now stationed with the Infantry at Camp Ipperwash pending what may be his discharge. Expects to drop around Newmarket with in the not too distant future.

At Wysinski, slugging outfielder at softball and baseball of Newmarket camp and one of the best ball players ever to hit Newmarket, is a Christie Street hospital sufferer from a hip wound sustained with Canadian troops in Italy. Also back from overseas and in Christie Street is Lefty Newbold, the pitching sensation of the Newmarket town league as a member of the championship Newmarket camp team. Newbold is the lad whom Army Daggers put the snatch on back in 1942-43 hockey season, promising to send a replacement to Newmarket for the Niagara Falls team but failing to come through, much to the disgust of Sgt. Jack McDonald.

Jack Church, former member of Bradford Argos and member of the well known Bradford sports family, is serving overseas. Back from overseas is Pte. Lieut. Ed Eadie Powers one of the province's better known athletes and son of the late Eddie Powers. He brought a lovely English bride home with him too.

Capt. Jack Morris, manager and coach of baseball at Newmarket camp, is now stationed at Camp Niagara. Capt. Morris left No. 23 bound for overseas but suffered injuries while on duty at the east coast which prevented him from proceeding across, much to his chagrin. Bill Christie, who played junior hockey for Richmond Hill last winter and was also one of the best young soccer players in Toronto, is in the army now and presently playing for Army Shamrocks. Christie is a dandy softballer too so don't be surprised if he turns up at No. 23.

Ted Johnson, former Aurora high school athlete, graduate with first up at Brockville this week after a tough battle with illness and accidents. Congrats old boy. Dad with the armored corps but Ted is an infantryman now.

Jack Macchillito, the hard-checking rearguard of Toronto army, has followed his partner, Chuck Shannon, to Newmarket and took

part for the Gaswell clan at Brantford and against navy this week. Macchillito is a native of Toronto and has had some minor pro experience as well as plenty of mercantile experience. Bill Paisley, smooth working infielder at Newmarket camp on the diamond last summer, is just about completing a conversion to infantry course at Vernon, B.C. He expects to go overseas shortly.

As an indication of the calibre of hockey being played by the service teams in these parts, take the case of Earl Purdon and Murray Blake, both ex-company pucksters at No. 23. Purdon and Blake were both standouts with Newmarket Juniors in Aurora town league hockey as well. Blake even caught the eye of Ewart Pinder for his all-star selection. Still they were unable to make the grade with their own centre. Transferred to Delawana camp, the boys quickly made places on the infantry team from that centre and at latest reports were currently starring in the district service playdowns.

The Trent brothers, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Trent of Little Britain, who were Aurora district residents for many years, have been playing some crackerjack bush league hockey for the Little Britain team. The lads are Clarke and Edward by name, with Clarke really turning on the heat. Arthur Trent was one of the stalwart followers of Aurora juniors in their trek to the junior C crown.

Omenace, not far distant from Little Britain, is currently headed for an intermediate title by the way they have been bumping over all opposition. They gave Herb Simpson, Ike Harper and all the lads on Brougham Bears, South Ontario league winners, quite a lacing in straight games. The team hails not only from Omenace but Lindsay and Peterborough as well. So less than six players, all experienced in senior B with the Little Lock City, are on the team since there is no rink in Peterborough this year. Other teams in the intermediate hunt include, Midland, Port Colborne and Owen Sound.

Midland knocked out Powassan Hawks but in case you're wondering, Pep Kelly, coach and a regular with the Hawks in the North Bay City league, didn't play. In fact, he wasn't even around. The Pepper hied it to the heavy sugar over at Sudbury Open Pit for the N.O.H.A. finals and for the second straight year in a row finds himself on winner and shortly southward bound for a nice trip.

Sparky Vail has no such luck. Those doggone Timmins teams he plays on just fall short of the mark. This is the second year in a row that the Irishman has had it over Vail. Lloyd Grondahl, who started the season out with the R.C.A.F. in the local service group, is now performing overseas in the R.C.A.F. finals. That goes too for Roy Conacher, ex-Bruins star, who was playing service hockey in Halifax, and Pete Langelle, ex-Toronto Leafs, who was playing service hockey earlier in Winnipeg. Quite a collection along with all the (Continued on Page 8)

SNOWBALL

(March 8)

Mr. Albert Barr has returned home after spending a weekend at Cannington with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Purvis.

The W.A. and W.M.S. will hold their monthly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haines on Friday afternoon, March 16.

Mr. and Mrs. William Farren are the parents of a son, born on March 1, a baby brother for Lois and Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haines are the grandparents of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Haines, Toronto, formerly of Snowball, on March 2.

Mrs. William Case, Aurora, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Case. Mrs. Case has recently returned to her home in Aurora after spending a month with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Case, Owen Sound.

Master James Morning, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morning, is at present in the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, having undergone a serious appendix operation. He is making a satisfactory recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cull, Mrs. Rose Ferguson and Miss Helen Haines were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Barr.

Mrs. Alvin Ridley spent a few days last week with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. Harry Haines and Mrs. Raymond Haines spent last Wednesday in Toronto.

A quilting was held at the home of Mrs. William Farren, St. last Tuesday for Red Shield war work and on Friday afternoon for the W.A.

Pte. Russell Patrick spent the weekend at his home. He is at present stationed at Brampton camp.

Miss Mary Mills spent a few days with friends in Toronto this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Levi Weddel attended the funeral of Isaac Nattress at Brampton on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tutt, Herbie and Leonard, Thornhill, visited Mr. and Mrs. Allan Case on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Ramsay, Streetsville, and Mr. and Mrs. David Weddel, Newmarket, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Weddel.

Don Kiteley and Jim Doig, R.C.A.F., Misses Phyllis and Gwen Kiteley and Helen Coffey, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Eugene Kiteley.

Miss Helen Shaw, Toronto, and Kenneth Shaw, Ipperwash camp, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw.

Mrs. James Parker and Mrs. Chalklin spent a couple of days in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wright visited Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Rogers in Newmarket on Sunday.

Mr. Doug Chalklin, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker and baby of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Parker.

Sgt. Lorna Weddel is spending a week's leave at home.

Aurora news or classifieds.
Phone 151 Aurora.MAGISTRATE'S COURT
TWO ARE SENTENCED
ON CAR THEFT CHARGE

Appearing before Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe in magistrate's court in Newmarket on Tuesday in order to receive sentence on charges of stealing sums of money to the total value of \$15 from "buddies" occupying the same hut at the Newmarket military camp, an 18-year-old soldier was sentenced to 60 days in jail.

The defendant pleaded guilty in court last week.

"These were very mean thefts," commented Magistrate Woodliffe. "I don't think that this case calls for a suspended sentence."

Pleading guilty to a charge of stealing an automobile valued at \$500, the property of Fred L. Hall, Niagara St., on Feb. 5, Pte. Rowland Artelle was sentenced to 12 months definite plus three months indefinite and Pte. Jacques Gougan to 15 months definite plus three months indefinite in the Coughlin reformatory. The terms in each case are to run concurrent with terms given in Belleville on charges of theft and breaking and entering. Both men admitted that they had stolen the car from in front of Mr. Hall's home and driven it to Belleville, abandoning it outside the city limits. They also told his worship that they had understood that when they were tried in Belleville court that they were being charged at the same time with the offences committed in Newmarket.

According to Acting Chief Constable James Leeder, Mr. Hall reported his car stolen on Feb. 5. On the following day he learned that the car was found abandoned on the highway, he said. He stated that eventually the men were turned over to him and that when he questioned them at the police station they readily admitted the theft of the car.

In his testimony, Mr. Hall stated that he had left his car in front of his house at about 6 p.m. and that when he later went to put it into his driveway it had disappeared. When it was returned to him one tire was missing and a wheel and another tire badly damaged, he said.

Grown Attorney Aisleigh Armstrong stated that Pte. Gougan had previously been convicted on charges of theft and shop-breaking for which he served sentence of 12 days and five months. Pte. Artelle, he said, had no previous criminal record.

A second charge, that of breaking and entering the Soldier-Citizen club, was withdrawn with the consent of the crown when his worship decided that there was not enough evidence, outside of the youths' own admission that they had committed the offence, to warrant a conviction. His worship ordered the articles stolen to be returned to the owners.

VANDORF

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. F. H. Van Nostrand on Wednesday afternoon, March 21. The topic, Multiple Inventions, will be given by Mrs. Walter Graham.

Roll-call will be answered with Irish sayings.

Hostesses are Mrs. H. Stephenson and Mrs. C. Williamson. Current events will be given by Miss Jean Switzer.

Several members of the Women's Institute met at the Community hall on Tuesday afternoon and packed 20 boxes for boys in the armed forces overseas.

Miss Audrey Switzer, Toronto, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Switzer.

Mrs. Loveless, Markham, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. White.

MOUNT ALBERT

Mrs. Iva Morton spent several days in Toronto with her sister, Miss L. M. Rear, and took in the Ice Follies recently.

The veterans are holding a euchre and dance in the town hall on Friday, March 23. The proceeds are for soldiers' comforts.

Reg. Wilho, Bowmanville camp, was home several days this week helping to get settled in their new home.

Ray Hayward has rented R. Wilho's farm.

Mrs. Wheeland, Newmarket, spent a couple of days last week with Mrs. G. Williamson.

Mrs. Jennie Walla went into the Toronto General hospital this week for observation and treatment.

Joe Cooper has given 50 cents to the "Veterans' Cigarette fund." Contributions will be received by G. Calver, secretary, or Karl Lees, treasurer, or by any member of the veterans. Some 55,000 cigarettes have been sent to the boys overseas and to prisoners of war.

Geo. Calver attended the York North C.C.F. council meeting in Aurora as a member of the council for East Gwillimbury.

Work will begin in May on 35 China coast type vessels, 15 of which are of 1,350 tons each, and 20 of 350 tons each. Seven Canadian shipyards will share in the construction.

Eggs were 25 cents a dozen for small, 30 cents a dozen for medium, and 35 cents a dozen for large, on the local market on Friday afternoon. Butter was 40 cents a pound. Parsnips were 30 cents a six-quart basket, and apples were 45 cents. Cabbage was ten cents a head.

Broiling chickens were 30 cents a pound.

TORONTO MARKETS

Butter, creamery solids, No. 1, was 35 cents a pound on the Toronto markets on Tuesday. First grade creamery prints were 38½ cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, on a case free, delivered to Toronto basis, as follows: grade A large, 35 cents a dozen; grade A medium, 33 cents a dozen; and grade A pullets, 28 cents a dozen.

Nominal prices to the shipper on poultry were: spring broilers, 2 to 2½ pounds, 30 cents a pound; fowl, over 5 pounds, 26 cents a pound.

Weighty steers were \$11.25 to \$12.60, butcher steers \$10 to \$11.75, with a few at \$12, heifers \$10 to \$11.50, butcher cows \$7 to \$9.50, canners and cutters \$5.50 to \$7, bulls \$7.25 to \$9.25, fed yearlings \$12 to \$13.50.

Calves were \$15 to \$16 for choice, others downward to \$8. A few medium to good lambs were \$12.50 to \$15. A few good sheep were \$5.50 to \$6.

Hogs were \$18.50 for grade A dressedweight, \$18.10 for grade B1. Sows were \$14.50.

HOPE

Mrs. Aubrey Brenair, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broderick and Mrs. M. Hall spent Thursday in Toronto.

John Stickwood has taken a position in Toronto.

Mrs. Fred Pegg, Mount Albert, is spending some time with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pegg.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broderick and Mrs. M. Hall were dinner guests on Saturday at the Fairbairns.

Among those who visited at O. Stickwood's on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stickwood, Claremont, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Fairbairn and Donny, Sharon, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Stickwood and Fatty.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broderick and Mrs. M. Hall were dinner guests on Sunday of Mrs. J. Goode, Queensville.

The Hope W.A. had a good meeting on Wednesday at the home of

BEGINS MINISTRY.

The new minister of the Newmarket Pentecostal Tabernacle, Rev. C. M. Bellsmith, commenced his ministry March 11. He spoke on the subject, Without Christ. His text was Eph. 2:12. Mr. Bellsmith endeavored to show the state of a man without Christ in contrast to the state of a man in Christ. He said that there is no joy, peace or safety, no Saviour, no shepherd and no king, without Christ. With Christ, we have those things which a man without Christ does not have, he said.

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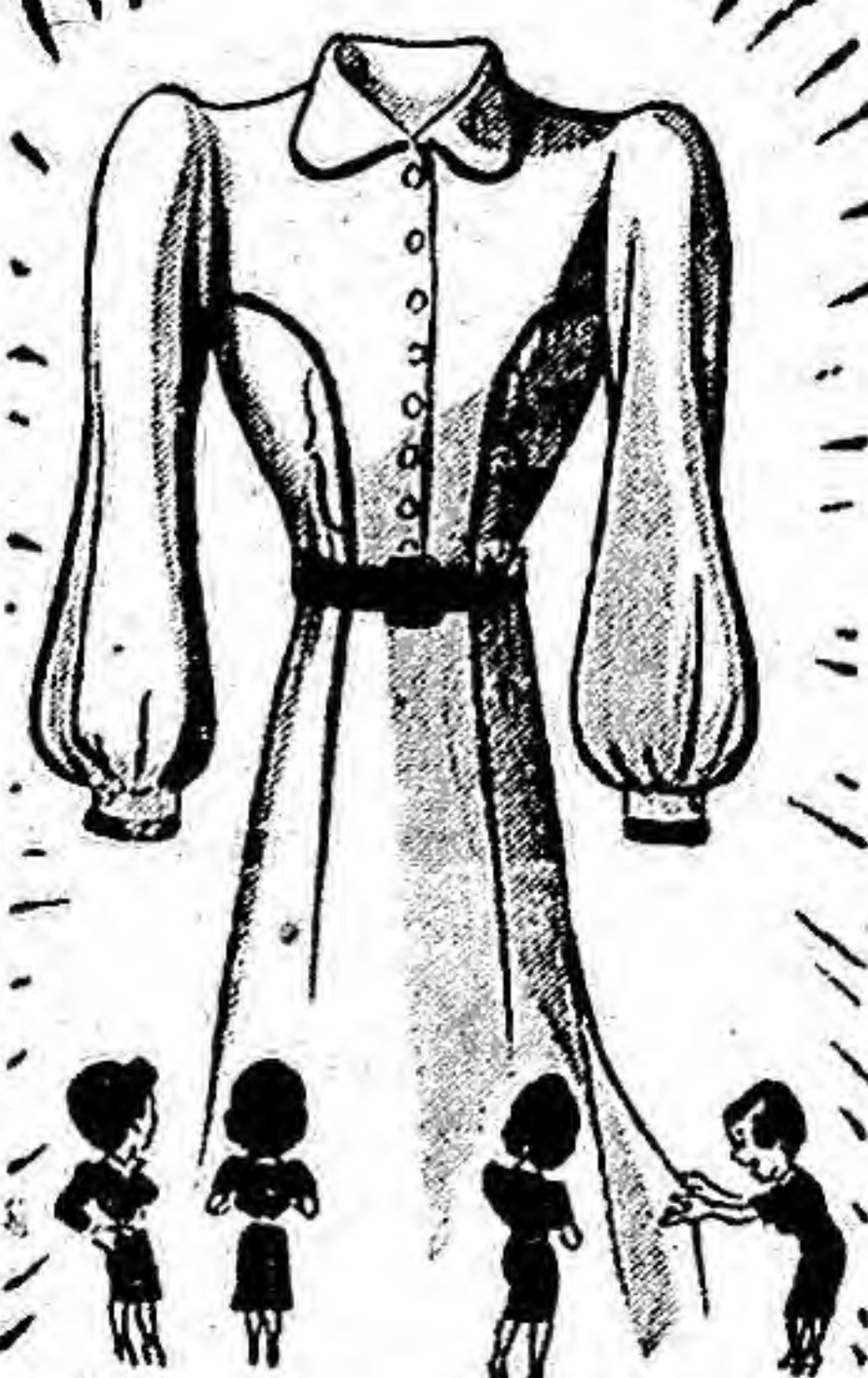
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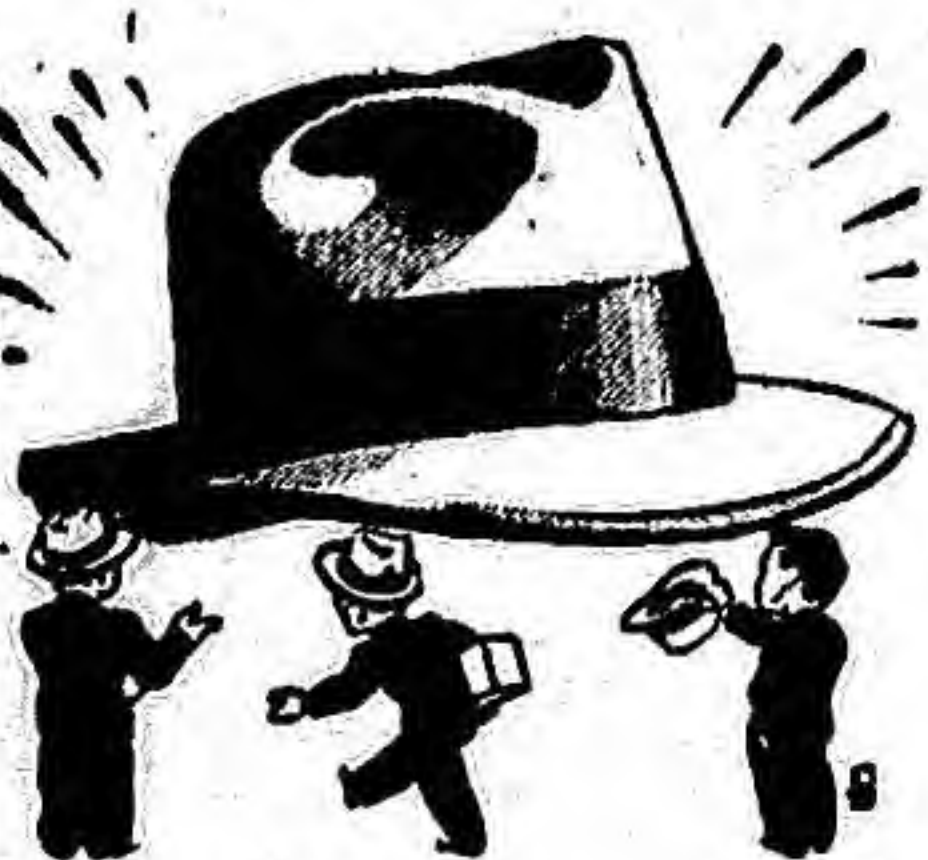
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The puzzle editor stumped all the contestants last week as no one was able to send in a correct set of answers. Five contestants sent in answers with only one error but as three of these were from the same household, only one was accepted. The other two double passes are being given to the out-of-town contestants with the greatest number of credits in the puzzle editor's file.

The winners are Joyce Newall, Mrs. A. Thompson and Mrs. H. J. Lowe, all of Newmarket, and Mrs. Floyd Cunningham, Queensville, and Wm. Groombridge, Schomberg. They may pick up their passes any evening at the Strand theatre.

These five winners have their choice of the program at the Strand theatre on Tuesday, March 20, when Bud Abbott and Lou Costello star in *Lost in A Harem* and *Jack Ryan* stars in *Crime By Night*, or Thursday, March 22, when Ronald Colman and Marlene Dietrich star in the technical production, *Kismet*, and Jon Hall and Louise Albritton star in *San Diego I Love You*.

The correct answers were: wardrobe, separator, families, reconditioned, carpentering, repairing, sun-room, system, chesterfield and alterations.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

The five winners of this week's contest will receive double passes to the Strand theatre and may attend either Tuesday, March 27, or Thursday, March 29. Susanna Foster, Turhan Bey and Boris Karloff star in *The Climax* and Chester Morris and Nancy Kelly in *Gambler's Choice* on Tuesday. Cary Grant and Barry Fitzgerald will star in *None But The Lonely Heart* and Ann Sothern and John Hodiak will be seen in *Malice Goes To Reno*, on Thursday.

Contestants are asked to send their entries in on a slip of paper two and a half inches by four and a half inches (2 1/2" x 4 1/2"). Only one entry will be accepted from any one household or family and the entry must be in the contestant's own handwriting.

Entries must reach The Era and Express office by 9:30 Tuesday morning.

The puzzle is not quite so difficult this week. The ten classified words have been put into code. They are not scrambled. Here they are: **QAPYRABO, PANAPHOXS, A, YWTCORGE, AZFFRECKS, ENAFUYISAV, PAHOPHCKXS, IQSABWCW, ZFNAPPOXSA, Z-AQUYRCQWS, ZFPAYBA.**

STOLEN CAR FOUND

A car belonging to Hugh Duggan, Ontario St., Newmarket, and stolen from the corner of Hotford and Main Sts., on Friday evening, was reported by Chief Constable Fisher, Durham, Aurora, to have been recovered on Yonge St. in Aurora on Monday evening.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Wm. Cutting and family wish to extend their deepest gratitude to the many friends and neighbors for their assistance, sympathy and floral tributes. Also to the employees of the Collis Leather Co. at the time of the recent loss of a beloved husband and father.

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The family of the late Mr. William H. King of Keswick wish to express to their many friends and neighbors and Island Grove Lodge No. 2079 their appreciation for floral tributes and sympathy extended in their recent bereavement.

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SALE REGISTERS

Friday, March 16—Auction sale of high class Holstein dairy herd, farm stock, tractor, implements, milking machine, etc., the property of Evan Murrell, lot 11, con. 3, East Gwillimbury twp., on Newmarket-Sutton highway just north of Sharon temple, commencing at 11 a.m. See full list in this issue. Positively no reserve as proprietor is giving up farming owing to ill health. See Murrell and W. H. Eves, Clerks, Fred Smith, auctioneers. c2w5

Saturday, March 24—Complete disposal of registered and high grade Holsteins, fresh and springers. Also new De Laval magnetic milking machine, pigs, seed, grain, etc., the property of Ross MacQueen, at lot 2, con. 2, Scott township, will be sold by public auction at 1:30 p.m. No reserve, owner quitting the milk business. The cattle are 7 1/2 tons. Terms cash. Sellers and Atkinson, auctioneers. c2w7

Thursday, April 5—Extensive auction sale of choice 150 acre farm, also farm stock, implements, including 10-20 tractor, DeLaval magnetic milker, 6-can cooler, thrashing machine, hay, grain, etc., at lot 80, con. 1, Whitechurch, 1 1/4 miles east of Aurora, the property of John Moynihan. Sale at 12:30 sharp. Terms on chattels, cash, without reserve. Farm offered at 3 p.m. subject to reserve bid. For further particulars see bill or apply on premises. Clark Prentice, auctioneer. c2w8

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Boarder wanted—Good home. Write Era and Express box 923. c1w7

ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Three badminton racquets and net. Also girl's boots and skates, black, size 5. Combination cash register and adding machine. Apply Era and Express box 915. c3w5

For sale—Small cookstove. Good condition. Apply 44 Eagle St., Newmarket. c2w6

For sale—Girl's spring outfit. Size 5. Fawn trimmed with brown. Princess style. Practically new. \$4. Can be seen at 76 Prospect St., Newmarket. Phone 29w. c2w6

For sale—Underwood typewriter. Good condition. Phone 358, Newmarket. c1w7

For sale—Battery radio, ivory kitchen range, Axminster rug, 9'x12', four dining-room chairs, chest of drawers, Steno separator, 650 lbs., all in splendid condition. Apply R. Lunnay, Keswick, 1402, Roche's Point 934. c1w7

For sale—Single bed, solid steel, waterfall design. Cable springs and new mattress. Phone Newmarket 389. c1w7

For sale—Woven reversible rug, size 7'x8'. Wine. As good as new. Price \$20. Phone Newmarket 758. c1w7

For sale—Convertible go-cart. Blue. Apply 28 Charles St., Newmarket, or phone 605w. c1w7

For sale—Navy blue suit in excellent condition, size 37. Apply Morrison's Men's Wear, Newmarket. c1w7

For sale—Bone-colored prairie, good condition. Used one year. Apply 4 Hamilton St., Newmarket. c1w7

For sale—Baby's crib, high chair, wicker go-cart. Trunk. Bed cot. Phone 721w, Newmarket. c1w7

For sale—Three-piece chesterfield suite. Apply 60 Queen St. E., Newmarket, or phone 174w. c1w7

For sale—Coffinet electric washer, in good mechanical condition. R.M.P. all metal ice box, white, 75 lb. capacity. Phone 3104, Newmarket. c1w7

For sale—Flinday cook stove, medium size, warming closet. Reservoir and water front. White enamel trim. Levi Weddell, Sharon, phone 604. c2w7

MERCHANDISE

For sale—Radio batteries. Our stock is complete including 1,000-

hour packs, two-volt air cells, etc. Stewart Beave, 113 Main St., Newmarket, phone 338. c2w8

For sale—At Insley's. Boys' grey whippoor breeks, also boys' wool setting. Breeches in spring weight, tweeds, brown, grey, for Sunday best. 8 to 14 years. c1w7

ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—Old cars, trucks, tractors, machinery, implements. Also scrap iron, metals, rags, feathers, horsehair, used furniture. Harri's Auto Parts, Wellington St., Aurora. Phone Aurora 283. c2w4

Wanted to buy—Tractor spring tooth cultivator. Power lift. Carl Reynolds, Cedar Valley. c1w7

Wanted to buy—Camera. Any make. Alec's Restaurant, Newmarket. c1w7

USED CAR FOR SALE

For sale—V8 Ford, 1937. Conch. Recently overhauled. Good tires, spare, heater. Serial No. A14758. Cash price \$450. Apply R. Davis, phone 630, Newmarket. c1w7

USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—For cash. Good used cars, any make, any model. Phone 777 Newmarket. t24

Wanted to buy—'40 or '42 car. Prefer Plymouth or Dodge. For cash. Phone Newmarket 135w. c1w7

HELP WANTED

Maid for school near Aurora. Live in, good accommodation. Apply Selective Service, Newmarket. t22

Help wanted—Intelligent boy 15 or 16 years, to work in hardware store with opportunity of learning the business. Apply Aurora Building Co., Yonge St., Aurora. c2w7

Help wanted—Farmer, must know something of vegetables and flowers and be able to drive tractor. Apply Mrs. I. H. Weldon, Summit Farm, Jefferson P.O., Ont. c3w8

Help wanted—Experienced farmer, single, for farm two miles from Newmarket. Good wages and board. Phone Newmarket 467w12. c3w6

Help wanted—Woman wanted for housework. Experienced. References. Good wages. Phone Newmarket 467w12. c3w6

Help wanted—Watchman for farm 7 miles east of Newmarket. House, large garden, very low rent. Write post office box 659, Newmarket. c1w7

Help wanted—Young girl for domestic position in good home. Two adults and little boy. Must be fond of children. Attractive quarters and private bath. \$45 monthly. Apply Mrs. D. C. Carlisle, 411 Glenayr Rd., Toronto. c2w7

Help wanted—Girl for housework in good home. Every Sunday and a half day a week off. Write Era and Express box 922. c1w7

Help wanted—A working housekeeper for two adults. Plain cooking. High wages. Permanent position. Private room and bath. Apply immediately to Mrs. Hancock, 14 Connaught Circle, Toronto 10, or telephone Melrose 5580. Reverse charges. c1w7

Help wanted—Responsible girl or woman for housework. Modern farm home. Apply H. F. Dunham, Yonge St., Newmarket, phone 170w. c1w7

Work wanted—Carpentering. General repairs, alterations. Modern kitchen cupboards. Phone Mount Albert 3101. c3w6

Lost—On Saturday, March 10, in Whitechurch, two hounds, one black and white hound and one black and white fox hound. Anyone finding them please notify C. Harman or phone Newmarket 693. c1w7

Lost—Black and tan hound. Short tail. Telephone Newmarket 1412. c1w7

For sale—One Eaton incubator, 240-egg capacity. In good condition. Apply Mrs. Robt. Davidson, R. R. 1, Keswick. c3w7

For sale—Noharb 2-rowed barley. Suitable for seed. Power chaser. Levi Weddell, Sharon, phone Queensville 604. c2w7

For sale—Evaporator. Made by G. H. Grim. Reason for selling, under contract. Apply Ira H. Travis, Queensville, R. R. 1. c2w7

For sale—Massey-Harris drill, 11 disc. All newly reconditioned. Truck wagon, new. Single plow. Cochrane No. 21. W. A. Hest, Queensville. c2w6

For sale—McCormick-Traylor horse cultivator, 5 ft. Good condition. Edgar Pegg, Sharon, phone Mount Albert 404. c2w6

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A few choice, young boars, ready for service. E. Dennis, Newmarket. c4w5

For sale—Ten close Holstein springers and fresh cows. Come and take your choice. Also ten yearlings, Poll Angus. L. J. Harpser, phone 2712, Newmarket. c1w7

For sale—Two Durham grade red springers, 7 years, 2 Durham young bulls, red, from accredited herd. Team of bay geldings, 6 and 7 years, legs and face white, right in all ways. Harvey Gibney, Holt. c1w7

For sale—One Shorthorn bull, eight months old, color red. Low set, blocky type. Sire of dam imported. John M. Kellington, Ravenshoe P.O. c2w7

For sale—Two-year-old Suffolk ewes, 9 shearlings. One registered Holstein bull, Poplar Hill M.O.W. Commander. T. C. Wray, Newmarket. c3w6

For sale—Gelding horse, 9 years old, good worker, sound. Four cows due in June. E. Tienkamp, Kettleby (townline), phone Aurora 9612. c2w8

For sale—One registered Shorthorn bull, 10 months old. Valley-hill Royal. Grandson of Walshford Paymaster Imp. Apply Kay Bros., Cedar Brae, phone Mount Albert 3930. c2w6

For sale—Two Guernsey pure bred cows and two Guernsey grades, just freshened. T.B. and blood tested negative. Phone Newmarket 467w12. c3w6

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In Memoriam

Harrison—In loving memory of our dear mother, Louise M. Harrison, who died March 11, 1944.

Today recalls sad memories of a dear mother gone to rest. And the ones who think of her today. Are the ones who loved her best. Lovingly remembered by the family. c1w7

Morton—In loving memory of Rose Taylor, wife of the late James E. Morton, who passed away March 13, 1942.

Take up the cross and follow Him. Nor think till death to lay it down. For only he who bears the cross. May hope to wear the glorious crown. In that bright, eternal city. Where no tears are dim the eye. In the home of many mansions. We will meet her by and by. c1w7

Sadly missed and ever remembered by daughter, Norma, and Joe, Melvin, Bruce and families. c1w7

Sedore—In loving memory of our dear father, Joel Sedore, who passed away March 15, 1944.

Gone, dear father, gone forever. How we miss your smiling face. But you left us to remember. None on earth can take your place. A happy home we once enjoyed. How sweet the memory still. But death has left a loneliness. The world can never fill. c1w7

Wade—In loving memory of a dear father and grandfather, John Wade, who passed away March 18, 1943.

Though tears in our eyes do not gladden. And our faces are not always sad. There is never a night or a morning. But we think of the dad we had. Lovingly remembered by daughter, Flossie, and family. c1w7

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FAY DAY

Members of C. Coy., Queen's York Rangers, were greeted by Paymaster Murray Allen at Aurora armory last evening. It is the first pay the boys have drawn since Camp Niagara.

10A WIN FIRST ROUND

Grade 10A debaters won the decision in the first round of the Aurora high school debating series, defeating grade 10B on the subject, "Rural Life Is Better Than City Life." Eleanor Quinn and Betty Preston were the winners and Mary Marikawa and Bob Donovan were the losers. Judges were Miss Aileen Belyea, Mavis Sisman and Jean Archibald. Agnes Hill, president of the school literary society, presided over the meeting.

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WITH THE FORCES

Cadet Ted Johnson, Brockville, spent the weekend with his parents, Major and Mrs. N. F. Johnson.

Hon. Capt. the Rev. R. K. Perdue and Major W. G. A. Lamb, both of Aurora, had the pleasure recently of meeting while on leave in London, England.

Lieut.-Col. C. R. Boulding, E.D., London, Ont., spent the weekend at home.

Pte. Leonard Newton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Newton, has returned home from overseas and is now in Vancouver, B.C., where his wife and family reside.

Mrs. Bert Long has received word from her husband, Pte. Bert Long, who is in Holland with Canadian troops.

Latest recruits to the Canadian army and presently stationed at Toronto district depot are Harold ("Mouse") MacMain, son of Mr. George MacMain, and Barton Teasdale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Teasdale.

Pte. Bruce Heise, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Heise.

Major N. F. Johnson has arrived home from a course at Vancouver, B.C. After a short leave he is back on duty at Camp Borden.

Pte. Melbourne Newton, Hamilton, spent the weekend at his home.

Cpl. Grant McCachen, R.C.A.F., Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Mrs. Donald Heintzman, Mount Pisgah, has received word that her husband, Pte. Donald Heintzman, a former student at Aurora high school, suffered head wounds while on duty with Canadian troops in Holland.

Pte. Howard Case, Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Clifford Case.

Sgt. James Murray, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. David Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson, and who suffered a severe accident last year, is now in training at Brantford.

OS James Rowe, son of Mrs. Bert Rowe, has been transferred from Toronto to H.M.C.S. Cornwallis, Halifax, N.S.

After two years on active service with the R.C.A.F., Heath Hamilton, son of Mrs. Donald Hamilton, has been honorably discharged from the service. Heath expects to re-enter St. Andrew's College in the fall.

Pte. Norman Scott, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott.

KING TOWNSHIP

MRS. GORDON MOWAT
DIES IN 90TH YEAR

Mrs. Gordon Mowat died at her home, 21 Prince Rupert Ave., Toronto, on Sunday, March 11, after an illness of ten days.

Funeral services were held at St. George's, Ont., on June 30, 1855, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simpson, Kitchener. She married J. Gordon Mowat in February, 1876, and he predeceased her in 1907.

Mrs. Mowat was active until the time of her illness. She summered at Belle Ewart and went bathing in Lake Simcoe regularly until she was 85 years old.

Mrs. Mowat was a member of St. Stephen's Anglican church and a life member of the Women's Auxiliary.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Geo. J. Thompson (Laura), and several nieces and nephews in Ontario and Montreal.

Canon J. E. Ward conducted the funeral service at her home on Wednesday afternoon. Interment was in King cemetery.

WM. CUTTING, SR., DIES
AS RESULT OF STROKE

William Cutting, Kettleby, died at York County hospital on Saturday as a result of a stroke, in his 76th year.

Mr. Cutting was born in King township on Sept. 14, 1869. He married Alberta Terry on March 22, 1899.

A farmer all his life, Mr. Cutting was a member of the Anglican church.

Surviving besides his wife are two sons, William A., on the home-stand, and Cecil, Newtonbrook, one daughter, Mrs. Stewart Lee (Greta), Milton, and one brother, Joseph, King township.

The pallbearers were Frank Curtis, Jack Lenard, Art Holt, Ross Black, Walter Follett and Ed Black.

Rev. F. V. Abbott, Kettleby, conducted the funeral service at P. M. Thompson's Funeral Home, Aurora, on Tuesday. Interment was made at Kettleby cemetery.

Under a new army sports clubs are opening in every military district in Canada. An infantry training centre at Shilo, Man., now has more than 1,000 members. The Camp Borden club has ordered 80,000 targets for its members.

"Now is the time for town planning for the future," declared P. A. Deacon, well-known Ontario architect, in an address to the Aurora C.C.F. club recently.

"There is no reason a well planned scheme for all municipalities cannot be made part of the large scale building operations that will take place after the war," he said.

Mr. Deacon illustrated his address with lantern slides, showing before and after scenes in cities and towns in Russia, the United States, Sweden and Canada.

Of particular interest were the scenes of Stalingrad before Russia entered the war.

Martin Southwood was chairman of the meeting.

The main points of Mr. Deacon's address were:

1. Allow for plenty of "green space" in any planning scene. Parks, gardens, etc., should be easily accessible to every section of a community and should be equally available for all to share. There is no need to have them on the outskirts or in remote sections of communities if planning is carried out. Recreational facilities are of paramount importance in preparing a scheme.

2. Keep the industrial area confined to one section of the municipality. As closely as possible have industries adjacent to railways. Control of smoke and noise can be handled if the industries are advantageously located.

3. Provincial and main highways should be on one side of a municipality rather than through the heart of the town. This enables the municipal traffic to move freely and is a safety precaution as well.

4. Allow for shopping centre areas, with special provision for the movement in and out of truck traffic and the movement of merchandise. Adequate parking space should be provided.

5. Housing should be modern, with appropriate by-laws to keep eyesores out of districts. Provisions should be made for apartments and low rental flats. Any housing scheme should seek to build permanent homes at a reasonable cost, to fit in with the general plan of the community.

Aurora has passed the half-way mark in its drive for \$4,500 for the Red Cross. President Dr. E. J. Henderson expressed confidence the municipality would meet its objective. Last year \$4,545 was raised. Canvassers this year are ahead of schedule.

Frank Young is directing the campaign, with the following ward chairmen: Ward 1, Irwin Watts; Ward 2, Marshall Rank; Ward 3, Ernest Eveleigh; Ward 4, A. E. L. Maughan; Ward 5, Clarence Doolittle.

With the churches

The March meeting of the St. Andrew's church Ladies Aid was held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Pennock.

An apron shower for the coming bazaar was held.

Jack Wallens, Toronto, dominion president of the United church Y.P.U., and some of his associates honored the Aurora Y.P.U. with their presence last Monday at a play-party. Bill Babcock was in charge of the local arrangements.

Mrs. Elton Armstrong was guest speaker last week at the meeting of the W.A. of Aurora United church. Mrs. Armstrong told of her home land, "The Orkney Islands." June Caulfield and Jacqueline Thomson were soloists of the afternoon.

In the absence through illness of the president, Mrs. Charles Billbrough, Mrs. Ross Linton presided.

Charles Copland was inducted as an elder at Aurora United church Sunday morning by the pastor, Rev. Roy Hicks. He replaces the late E. M. Fleming on the board of elders.

Rev. L. R. Coupland, Newmarket, conducted services on Sunday at the Aurora Gospel church.

Why go to Hollywood?

Those statisticians who delight in computing the measurements of movie stars in search of the ideal figure, have no longer any need to hike to Hollywood. Aurora has its own in Helen Simpson.

Helen read the statistics on Andrea King and Betty Grablo, unkle, calf, etc., and then did a bit of research on her own, coming up with the identical measurements of the movie stars.

STUNT NIGHT

Tuesday evening was stunt night at the Aurora Lions club meeting held in the Masonic hall.

Bill Duff and his committee presented a "roaring" program for their fellow Leos.

CLINIC MARCH 22

The next blood donors' clinic for Aurora will be held on Thursday, March 22. This is one week earlier than originally announced. The Aurora United church parlors will again be the site of the clinic. A record turnout is urged.

Social and Personal

Miss Norma Matthew, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Matthew.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Lewis, Markham, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Webster.

Miss Barbara Gilbert, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Major and Mrs. B. D. Gilbert.

April 13 has been announced as ladies' night by the Aurora board of trade. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Kate Aitken.

Mrs. A. W. Boland has received word from her husband, Capt. A. W. Boland of the dental corps, who is overseas.

Capt. Boland was in practice here until enlisting in 1943.

Miss Thelma Hayes, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brooks, Newmarket, spent Sunday with Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Mr. P. W. Pearson, Preston, ex-M.L.A. for North York, was in town on Sunday calling on friends.

Miss Marjorie Andrews spent several days this week at Creemore with her sister, Miss Bertha Andrews.

Mr. Ed Dailey, who recently returned from overseas after serving with the volunteer firefighters, has received his discharge. He and Mrs. Dailey are on a couple of weeks holidays out of town.

Miss Irene Braund is confined to York County hospital.

Sgt. Arthur LaBrosse, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with Sgt. and Mrs. James Murray.

Mrs. Harry Hodgetts, Mr. Roy Jinks and Mrs. S. C. Jinks, Toronto, spent Sunday with Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. C. R. Boulding.

Mrs. Hodgetts and Mr. Jinks are the godparents of Anne Boulding, whose confirmation in the Church of England took place on Sunday.

Around 15 members of the Aurora Lions club, headed by President Frank Underhill, were guests of the Newmarket Lions club at their meeting Monday evening.

Miss Marian Thompson, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Thompson.

The Parochial Guild of Trinity Anglican church held a social evening on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Herbert Eveleigh.

Miss Etta King, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee King.

Lieut. Don Acton, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Thompson.

Mrs. R. K. Perdue and daughter, Anne, Toronto, former Aurora residents, were in town on Saturday calling on friends.

Miss Beulah Houle, Toronto, spent the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Ewart Pearce.

Cyril Hamlin, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Miss Helen Boynton, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boynton.

Mrs. Jessie Sloas, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hlrat.

Miss Christine Kirkwood, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Kirkwood.

GAME ENDS IN TIE

Aurora high school girls' basketball team played to a 10-10 tie with Richmond Hill girls at the Aurora school on Thursday.

Mavis Sisman for Aurora and Helen Ramsom for Richmond Hill were the high scorers.

Aurora: Mavis Sisman (10), Vivian Neilly (4), Frances Moore (2), Agnes Hill, Jean Archibald, Pearl Mackey, Betty Boulding.

PLAN ALTERATIONS

Plans are being prepared under the direction of Archibald C. W. Smith, Toronto, for alterations to the ceiling and interior of the Aurora United church.

The handsome kneelers were the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen, step-father and mother of the altar boy, who was killed last June over France.

WOUNDED IN HOLLAND



Mrs. John Watson, George St., received word last week that her son, Tpr. Donald Watson had been wounded in action in Holland with Canadian troops.

Tpr. Watson enlisted in 1942 with the artillery, was transferred to the armored corps and went overseas last October after he had reached his 19th birthday.

In England he was transferred to the infantry. Two brothers, Pte. Bill Watson and Pte. Sgt. Bob Watson, are overseas. Another brother, Tpr. Lloyd Watson, is home after being wounded three times in Italy.

Red Wings are champions of the Aurora Lions bantam hockey league, defeating Bruins 5-1 in a sudden-death morning game last week at Aurora arena. Bruins, who led the league all season, were minus the services of their team captain and goalie, Lorne Graham, and their forward star, Grant Preston, both out of the line-up through illness.

B. Beazer, who took Graham's place, turned in a good game in the nets, although unaccustomed to playing the position. Norm Wilcox, Andy Closs and Walt Tunney were the stars for the winners. Hugh McRae got the Bruins' lone corner.

Bruins: B. Beazer, Dodson, McRae, Ash, Case, J. Summers, B. Collins, Waite, R. Beazer, E. Ellis.

Red Wings: K. Smith, Rank, Rogers, Brown, Wilcox, E. Summers, Dunham, Warlow, Higgins, Closs, Tunney, Bergman, Buker, Wells.

BISHOP CONFIRMS 23 AT "HAND" CEREMONY

An impressive ceremony took place at Trinity Anglican church on Sunday morning when Rt. Rev. A. R. Beverley, Suffragan Bishop of Toronto, performed "the laying on of hands" ceremony of the Church of England.

There were 23 members of the confirmation class. The church was filled to capacity. Rev. Canon F. J. Fife assisted.

Bishop Beverley congratulated members of the class and urged them to be steadfast in their faith and loyal to their country and parents. Members of the confirmation class were: Anthony Fraser Ritchie Brown, Harold Leitch Lyon, David McGregor Rowe, Ronald Gordon, Anthony Campbell Pitfield, Douglas Robert Hughes, Clifford Orval Heath, William Edward Walter Starkey, Mrs. Louise Winnifred Starkey, Shirley Mary Louise Starkey, Mrs. Verna Elaine Hadfield, Nora Wilma Calhoun, Kathleen Bernice Moynihan, Clara June Adams, Anne Jinks Boulding, Shirley Ann Attridge, Helen Joan Bradbury, Gwendolyn May Hill, Louella Josephine vander Maater, Eldene Henrietta Ellis, Verna Elizabeth Smith, Margaret Florence Brodie.

The new members of the church will attend Holy Communion next Sunday morning, and will attend breakfast in the parish hall following as guests of the church guild.

Secretary 40 Years, W. H. Taylor Re-Elected

One of the most enthusiastic and best attended meetings of the county Orange Lodge was held in the Aurora Orange Hall on Saturday. All lodges were represented. The speaker of the day was Rt. Wor. Bro. Fred C. Cook, Bradford, Grand Master of Ontario West. An increase in both members and finances was reported by the secretary, Rt. Wor. Bro. Major W. H. Taylor.

Bro. Taylor was re-elected recording secretary of the county lodge for the 41st consecutive term. Wor. Bro. Roy Carr, Mount Albert, was elected county master succeeding Wor. Bro. Lorne C. Lee, Aurora.

The grand master installed the following to office: I.P.M., L. C. Lee, Aurora; W.M., Roy Carr, Mount Albert; D.M., Harry Gould, Schomberg; chap., William Kirtom, Mount Albert; rec. sec., Major W. H. Taylor, Aurora; fin. sec., George Langridge, Roche's Point; treas., S. C. Chapman, Aurora; marshal, R. Slickwood, Mount Albert; lecturers, J. W. Hirst, Keswick; J. W. Hudson, Aurora; dept. lect., Wilmot Bain, Zephyr; auditors, J. W. Hirst and J. W. Hudson.

AURORANS ARE BEST

Aurora bantams defeated the strong Newmarket bantam team, which competed recently in the O.H.M.A. playdowns in Newmarket, 9-2, last week. The Aurora goal-getters were: Ron Simmons (3), Jerry Simmons, Bruce Ross, Hugh McRae and Norm Wilcox, one each.

Bob Peters of Newmarket was referee.

READY FOR FINALS

Lions and Smoke-Eaters were ready to take to the ice in the finals of the Aurora Lions juvenile hockey league this week if weather permitted. Lions eliminated Orphans last week 5-0 and the Smoke-Eaters ousted the Black Hawks 12-4 in the second of two fast games last week.

SALVAGE COLLECTION

Aurora responded to the drive for waste paper in fine style last Saturday, with about the same return as the previous time when over 12 tons were received. Carload space prevented the entire amount collected being shipped on one time, but it is thought the proceeds will amount to close to \$100 for the War Memorial Site fund.

CHOIR ELECTS OFFICERS

Mrs. Delmer Barkley has been elected president of the choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church. Other officers are: vice-pres., Beverley Flury; sec., Margaret Davis; treas., Gwen Smith; choir leader, Miss Marjorie Andrews.

FREE OF DEBT

According to a report given at the annual meeting of King United church, the new parsonage, replacing the one burned June 1, 1944, is clear of mortgage.

INSPECT CADETS MAY 1

May 1 has been announced as the date of the annual inspection of the Aurora high school cadet corps.

Toronto Boy Home First,
Visits Parents Of Buddy

A welcome visitor to Aurora last week was Tpr. Cyril Blakeley, Toronto, who was wounded in action in Belgium and has just returned to Canada. Tpr. Blakeley was one of the originals of the 1st Hussars.

He visited Chief Constable and Mrs. Fisher Dunham and brought with him pictures of many Aurora boys and first-hand news.

Tpr. Blakeley and Tpr. Bert Dunham are buddies and the two made a pact on D-day that the first to return to Canada would visit the other's parents. As far

as is known, Tpr. Dunham is still in action with Canadian troops in Holland or Germany. Tpr. Blakeley received a shell wound as he crouched in a slit trench with Tpr. Alf Cooper, Aurora, who was recently mentioned in dispatches.

Proud possessions of Mr. and Mrs. Dunham are a Nazi swastika flag, some German money and a button off the hat of one of the crew of the Scharnhorst. These were mailed in November and received by the family a few weeks ago.

Red Wings Are Champions
Of Lions Bantam League

Red Wings are champions of the Aurora Lions bantam hockey league, defeating Bruins 5-1 in a sudden-death morning game last week at Aurora arena. Bruins, who led the league all season, were minus the services of their team captain and goalie, Lorne Graham, and their forward star, Grant Preston, both out of the line-up through illness.

B. Beazer, who took Graham's place, turned in a good game in the nets, although unaccustomed to playing the position. Norm Wilcox, Andy Closs and Walt Tunney were the stars for the winners. Hugh McRae got the Bruins' lone corner.

Bruins: B. Beazer, Dodson, McRae, Ash, Case, J. Summers, B. Collins, Waite, R. Beazer, E. Ellis.

Red Wings: K. Smith, Rank, Rogers, Brown, Wilcox, E. Summers, Dunham, Warlow, Higgins, Closs, Tunney, Bergman, Buker, Wells.

CPL. TOM RAESIDE
WEDS IN ENGLAND

The wedding of Iris Joyce Hutt, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Hutt, Walton Road, Woking, Surrey, England, and Cpl. Thomas Crawford Raeside, Canadian army, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. James Raeside, Aurora, took place at Christ church, Woking, on Saturday, Feb. 3. The service was taken by the vicar, Rev. J. C. Banham.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her bridesmaids were her sister, Vera Hutt, her cousin, June Edis and Gwendoline Lopez and Heather Taylor. Master Peter Dalton, nephew of the bride, was page.

Cpl. Reginald Fickling of the Canadian army was best man. Kenneth Hutt, brother of the bride, and Albert Cobbett, the bride's grandfather, were groomsmen.

The bride wore a gown of white satin with a coat of arms trimmed with small rhinestones and a headpiece to match. Her veil of net was embroidered with satin horse shoes, and she carried pink carnations. She also wore a silver chain and St. Christopher locket loaned her by a friend.

Vera Hall and June Edis wore dresses of blue velvet with muffs and headpieces to match and Heather Taylor were dressed in wine colored velvet with muffs and headpieces to match. The head-dresses were trimmed with net and each bridesmaid wore a single row of pearls. The page wore a miniature uniform of the Canadian 1st Hussars complete with stripes.

Fifty guests attended the reception at the T.C. H. headquarters, Chertsey Road, Woking. A toast to the bridegroom's parents was proposed by the bride's father.

The honeymoon was spent at Berkhamstead Castle. The bride travelled in a grey skirt, pale blue nylon blouse, wine colored Jagger coat, large felt picture hat and shoes to match. The bride has lived in Woking all her life and has worked at the G. Q. works for five years. Among the gifts was a cheque from her colleagues. The bridegroom was wounded at Falaise and is now convalescing.

JAMES CROCKHART IS 85

James Crockhart, Catharino Ave., celebrated his 85th birthday last Thursday. Mr. Crockhart was born in England and has resided in Aurora for over 60 years. He was in the butcher business here at one time but most of his life has been spent in the driving and cattle-buying business which he is still interested in. He is extremely active for his age and is an official of Aurora United church.

MEMORIAL FUND GROWS

Elma Rebeckah lodge has contributed \$25 to the Aurora board of trade memorial site fund. Another donation of \$34.50 from the children of Aurora public school as a result of a salvage campaign has also been received by H. M. McKensie, chairman of the board of trustees. Nearly \$300 is now in the fund.

KETTLEBY WOMAN IS 89

Mrs. George Thompson, Kettleby, celebrated her 89th birthday last Wednesday. A native of England, Mrs. Thompson has resided in the United States and Aurora, and for the past 30 years has lived in King township. She is in fair health.

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Guests at the Greenwood home for Sunday tea included Mr. Albert Cole and Mr. and Mrs. H. Cole and children of Ravenshoe. Mrs. Frank Williams spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mrs. A. Tucker left on Saturday to spend some time in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walker and Patsy, Mr. J. Stickwood and Miss L. Stickwood were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. Walter

Haines, Sharon.

Miss Erma Taylor, Toronto, was a weekend guest at the Toole home.

The prayer meeting on Monday evening will be held at Douglas McClure's home. There was a good attendance Monday evening at M. Sheridan's home.

The Bogartown club meeting will be held Friday at a St. Patrick's night. Everyone is asked to wear something green. A fine will be imposed on those who don't.

The Pine Orchard west group

of the Women's Institute will meet Tuesday, March 20, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Walker. Roll-call is name an industry and its product. Current events will be given by Mrs. Frank Williams and there will be a Canadian contest.

GLENVILLE

Mrs. Wm. Keffor has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Sweeney, and Mr. Sweeney.

Miss Doreen Bond spent the weekend with Miss Barbara Gould.

Mr. Roy Sharpe, Clarice and Hazel, spent Sunday with Mrs. E. Deavitt, Queensville.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Newton and daughter of Newmarket spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elymer Cutting and Donald.

Mrs. Aubrey Doan and Helen have been visiting relatives in Clarksburg and Collingwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Webster spent Sunday at their cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gould, Newmarket, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. Jack Brown and Miss Joan Brown, Newmarket, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. M. Brown.

Bruce Cutting, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elymer Cutting.

Donald Webster, grandson of Mrs. F. Webster, who was seriously injured playing hockey in Buffalo, is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson and son, Murray, and Mr. John Anning, King City, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Anning and Shirley.

Arthur Edwards is able to be around after being ill in York County hospital.

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DOWN THE CENTRE

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Confidentially we haven't been able to take in those games with Toronto navy at Maple Leaf Gardens but we hear along a pretty reliable grapevine route that the player who really caught the eye of the big boss of the Toronto Leafs, Major Conn Smythe, was one other than Joliet Boncompagni, who really likes to dance at the Gardens. McComb asked for and gave no quarter and his fire and ability are said to have made a hit.

Billy Taylor drew most of the Toronto press notices but Maj. Smythe doesn't have to worry about his whereabouts after the war. It will be interesting to see those reserve lists of the N.H.L. to be published soon. McComb is a safe bet for a spot somewhere.

Richmond Hill won the Richmond Hill and district title last Thursday and Friday, eliminating Combines, the '44 winners, in a bruising series. Ice permitting, the Hill billys were scheduled to meet Zephyr Blues, champions of the Aurora mercantile league, in a two-game series this week to settle district honors. If the weather is good a cracking series should result, paying off handsomely in dividends to both clubs. With the exception of goal, where Bob Peters, seems out like a beacon light, the Hill club would appear to have the better club. Zephyr, however, has more teamwork and if the need arises can both take it and hand it out.

Usually we pick annually all-star teams on all fronts in the sports world. Unfortunately, this season we saw only one game in the Aurora league and while we know most of the players from other years or by reputation and have followed the league closely, we have refrained from making any choices.

All-star selections have been kept in mind, however, and we submit the following choices by competent authorities. Ivon Law, the chief router and general factotum of the Zephyr team, saw every game and should be in a position to pick a good team the didn't do a bad job with the Zephyr team did he? Well, let the chips fall where they may. Here are Ivon's selections made after some conference with his cohorts.

First team: goal, Bob Peters, Zephyr; defence, Pent, Zephyr, and Ike Harper, Ballantrae; centre, Leonard Shropshire, Vandrof; r. wing, Wink Barnard, Vandrof; l. wing, "Mutt" Collings, Zephyr. Second team: goal, Allen Roadway, Ballantrae; defence, Bub Preston, Vandrof, and "Pep" Paisley, Ballantrae; centre, Murray Blake, R.C.O.C.; r. wing, Ken Pickering, Zephyr; l. wing, Ross Folliott, Vandrof. That is a mighty fine selection, Mr. Law, and escapes from bias which so many people seem to include. We think the fans will go for your choices.

From the player angle we know no one more capable of picking teams than Charlie Case, who kicked them out successfully for R.C.O.C. and Vandrof and did a pretty fair job too. Charlie had the advantage of seeing the boys bear down on him and the way they handled their shots. He watched the games he didn't play from the sidelines. Here are the choices made by Pte. Case. First team: goal, Bob Peters, Zephyr; defence, Joe Pent, Zephyr, and Harry Sutton, Vandrof; centre, Leonard Shropshire, Vandrof; r. wing, Duke Dennis, Ballantrae; l. wing, Ross Folliott, Vandrof. Second team: goal, Allen Roadway, Ballantrae; defence, Ike Harper, Ballantrae, and Earl Purdon, R.C.O.C.; r. wing, Wink Barnard, Vandrof; l. wing, Holmström, Zephyr. Charlie's choices very much but figured since he hadn't played as many games as the rest over the season he should only be given honorable mention. He also had a special word for the playing in late season of "Whitney" Jones of Vandrof and for coach of the year, and as near as we can judge this would be about unanimous, nominated all Patrick who stepped up the faltering Vandrof team and made them into a fighting and machine. Bill, incidentally, is still trying to figure out what happened to his boys in the final game but merely shakes his head if you ask him. "Just say too much Zephyr," quote and unquote. Charlie, like Ivon, has done a good job at a difficult task and we appreciate his effort.

Stewart Erick, official whistle-blower, satisfactory to all concerned, so much so that the lads presented him with a club bag at the end of the season, was contacted by phone but didn't have time to delve into the star-gazing business the way he would have liked to. For an all-star team Stew sees no better than taking the Zephyr rear guard of Peters, Pent and either Johnson or Groves and team them up with the Vandrof front line of Shropshire, Folliott and Barnard. That is a pretty potent outfit with the appropriate players for spaces added.

Summary. What price an intermediate entry of the following players? Goal, Peters and Roadway; defence, Pent, Groves, Harper, Sutton; centres, Shropshire, Jones, Simpson; r. wings, Barnard, Dennis, Pickering; l. wings, Collings, Folliott, C. Lumsby. We have omitted the army players because they couldn't have played in the O.H.A. A pretty fair aggregation, the above named gang, capable of holding its own with any of the present day intermediate clubs.

Good news from out of Buffalo over the weekend is that Don Webster, ex-Bloods Junior and present member of the Hershey Bears, was on the road to recovery, and was young Webster, son of Sgt. Lt. Vance Webster of Newmarket district, and grandson of the late Fred Webster of Newmarket, had his bladder punctured when the jagged end of an opponent's broken stick was accidentally rammed against him in a pile up along the boards in Buffalo. For a day or two he hovered at death's door but now the medicals say he will be O.K. again. It was an unusual accident and indicates how wise the officials in hockey are to insist on doing away with anything but regulation sticks (no plate ends or jointed or edged sticks) used to be the case away back when.

Incidentally, Bill Madenka, ace forward of the Chicago Black Hawks, was the shortest stick in the game today, being approximately 45 inches long. The rule books

limits the length of the stick to 64 inches but says nothing about how short it may be.

Chick Webster, brother of Don Webster mentioned above, who played briefly for the first Newmarket camp team in 1942 after a brilliant playing record with St. Kitt's seniors, is deep in action with Canadian troops overseas. Harvey Gibney, the former pride of Newmarket, has been playing some house-league hockey with the war industry with which he is employed and also took time out to perform for Ostrander in the T.H.L. intermediate section. The Ostris were eliminated from a chance to go into the O.H.A. intermediate playdowns. One of Gibney's teammates was Duke Scodarello, the great goalie of Trail Smokes a few years back, also in senior O.H.A. with the R.C.A.F. Scodarello plays goal in the most unorthodox style we have ever seen, coming out as far as the blue line if necessary to clear the puck.

Freddie Norris, former Aurora boy, one of the fastest outfielders ever to play in the York-Simcoe softball circuit, has opened his own dairy business in Barrie. His father, Cecil Norris, is one of the town's greatest hockey fans and is in the dairy too. Another well-known athlete in business by himself in Barrie is Cottle Hibble, baseball, lacrosse and hockey star, now discharged from the Canadian army. Cottle was briefly at No. 23 B.T.C. and played a bit of ball there on the first camp team. Now he has his own dry-cleaning plant and is doing mighty well.

Big question of the week is will Elmer Lach of Canadiens equal or exceed the N.H.L. scoring mark set by Newmarket's Herbie Culp last year? Herb set what looked like an all-time mark with 52 points last season but with still three games to go on Monday, Lach needed only six points to equal the record and seven to beat it. The way the Habitants are going when they have to, beating it is just what the adept Elmer is going to do. All this, of course, takes nothing from the Newmarket boy's swell job last winter. Lach has already beaten the assist total of 49 set by Clint Smith of Chicago Black Hawks.

A word about Lach. He is now 27 years of age, a native of Nookmosis, Sask. He weighs 161 pounds and is around 5'10" in height. He shoots left-handed and plays centre. He plays good, clean hockey and can take the bumps and is not a French-Canadian.

What a scoring punch in that line of Maurice "The Rocket" Richard and the veteran, Toe Blake, all well up in the scoring race. Richard has already bested the most-goals-in-one-season mark set by the great veteran, Joe Malone, back in 1917-18. Richard looks definitely headed for an all-time record in his department at least. Elmer seems a hard name to reconcile with hockey greatness but there you have it.

HOPE

The Hobby club will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. John Farr on Wednesday, March 21, at 2 p.m. The lunch committee is Mrs. Sheldon Walker, Mrs. Stokes, Mrs. W. Eves and Mrs. Allison.

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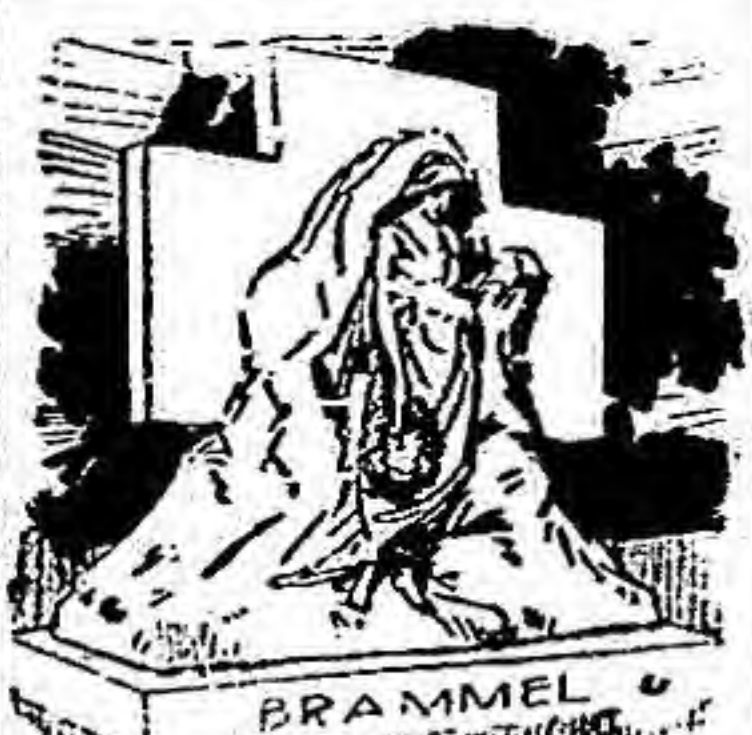
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Mrs. Ross Pollock entertained a few friends on Saturday evening at a party in honor of Mr. Pollock's birthday.

Vincent Willoughby, Toronto, was here last week doing some remodeling to his property for use as a summer home.

Mr. Arnold Duke and a friend of Oshawa were Sunday guests of Mr. Duke's sister, Mrs. J. Linstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferg. Taylor, Elaine and Myron, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Pollock.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leppard, Mr. Kershaw, Miss Kershaw and Mrs. Kershaw, Sr., spent Monday in Toronto.

A chicken supper will be served by Lakeside Women's Institute at the United church in aid of the new wing at York County hospital on March 20, from 6 to 8 p.m.

The supper will be followed by a concert. A one-act play will be given by Ravenshoe young people. Miss Evelyn King will sing and Mrs. Lorne Mahoney will recite. There will be selections from other local talent.

IS PROGRESSING

Miss Marion Rose is progressing favorably following an operation for appendicitis at York County hospital on Friday.

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*Mrs. Terry, who is the oldest resident in the village, celebrated her 89th birthday on March 8. She is enjoying fairly good health.

Mrs. Rex Smith, Sudbury, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith.

Miss Marion Hamilton, Ravenshoe, spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Clarkson.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Burkholder on Sunday were Mrs. Pearce and Mrs. Patton and family of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Stiver, Unionville, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearson.

Misses Grace Gray, Margaret Morton and Dorothy Shannon spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Hugh Shannon.

Word has been received from Hawick, Scotland, that Cpl. D. Shannon, who is with the Canadian army in Germany, has been visiting his father's people in Hawick. This is his first visit to Scotland after having spent 18 months overseas.

The March meeting of the W.M.S. will be held at the home of Mrs. Silas Bennett on Thursday, March 22. Mrs. J. L. Smith will be in charge of the study book.

The Women's Institute is sponsoring a euchre on Friday, April 13, in the public school. The proceeds are in aid of the hospital fund.

The skating party held by the Y.P.U. of the United church last week was a complete success. The party was well attended by both old and young. After skating, lunch was served in the Sunday-school room and a short worship period was conducted by the president, Miss Audrey Eves, assisted by Miss Alma Belsdon. The proceeds were for boxes for boys overseas.

POTTAGEVILLE

Thomas William fell and broke his wrist on March 8.

Mr. and Mrs. George West were at a euchre party Friday evening. Mrs. West won two prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Emmerson and boys of Nobleton spent Sunday with Mr. Emmerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Emmerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Groombridge spent Sunday with their daughters, Mrs. Leon Evans and Mrs. George Wilder.

Miss Kathleen West, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George West.

Mr. Ed. O'Brien, Toronto, spent the weekend at his home here.

Miss Grace Summerville, Toronto, spent the weekend with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Summerville.

Mrs. R. McCausland and a friend, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. William Burbridge.

*Pte. Walter Akrasinen, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his parents.

Miss Hattie Cutting, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. George West and girls spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Houghton, Cookstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Paton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bunn and family and Mr. Boyd Paton called on Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Paton are the parents of a baby boy, born March 5.

MOUNT ALBERT

Davidson Dike attended the Lumbermen's convention this week at the Royal York hotel, Toronto. Mrs. Dike and Jimmie accompanied him to visit friends.

Mrs. Fred Pegg is visiting at the home of her son, Edgar, at Hope.

Mr. Gordon Burgess, Ingersoll, spent Sunday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Burgess.

Mrs. W. L. Carruthers and Ann spent the weekend in Toronto.

Miss Edith Smith is visiting relatives at Victoria Square.

Miss Arlene Grose is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Mather, Kapuskasing.

Mrs. J. Rahmer, Athens, was a guest last week at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Wm. Broad.

Mrs. Ruth Taylor, Toronto, spent the weekend with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Pegg.



LIEUT. CHAS. BONNELL

"One of the great heroes of the war" was the way the late Lieut. Charles Bonnell, D.S.C., was described by a fellow officer who had served with him on midge nights, in an interview recently. "When it came to daring feats and when chances were one in a thousand, Bonnell was the first one to offer his services."

Lieut. Bonnell met his death in the Mediterranean Sea on New Year's Eve, 1942. His widow, Mrs. E. E. Bonnell and her 13-year-old daughter, Barbara, are living in Holland Landing at present. They had formerly resided in Toronto.

HOLLAND LANDING
CHURCH DECORATION
BRINGS SATISFACTION

By H. W. TOMES

Those who attended the United church on Sunday evening expressed worthy comments upon the work that has been done recently and the marked improvement made to the interior. The old seats have been given a new look with replacing the iron ends with wooden ones. This work has changed the appearance of the interior and is immediately noticed as one passes through its doors. It has added to the beauty and sanctity of this old church that was built 102 years ago to serve the spiritual needs of this village. During that period it has been remodelled twice. The first time, some 50 years ago, it was brick veneered and the interior decorated. In 1938 extensive work was undertaken. A basement was built under the old building. The brickwork was covered with a sponge stucco, the old windows replaced with leaded, stained glass, the interior completely remodelled, replastered and nicely decorated, a heating system installed and the lighting modernized.

Most of the labor was voluntary and it was reopened free from debt. Now with this improvement, Holland Landing has one of the prettiest little churches to be seen. Visitors from other districts who are contemplating remodeling their church have come for ideas and plans to aid them in their work.

The seat ends were made by H. Draper and adjusted with the assistance of J. Dutton while the staining and varnishing was done by M. J. Grantham of Newmarket and the whole cost was met by G. W. Thompson who has done so much for this church in the past by giving his time, labor and financial aid on many occasions.

On Sunday evening the minister, Rev. F. G. MacTavish, preached an appropriate sermon on the need of the church today, the part it must take in the post-war days, and the great need of steadfastness and unity in its purpose. The choir was well represented and an anthem very nicely given. Pte. Ernest MacTavish of Newmarket camp sang the Lord's Prayer and the Man of Galilee. The attendance was good.

The Community Association is still active and its committee is continuing its investigations as to ways and means of obtaining further improvements for the village. Much work has to be done and the progress may appear slow but as soon as the committee has completed their investigations a general meeting will be called and the committee's report discussed.

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BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Kenneth Trebble, Queensville, 13 years old on Sunday, March 11.

Kim Woo, R. R. 3, Newmarket, five years old on Sunday, March 11.

Doris Leonard, Schomberg, five years old on Sunday, March 11.

Bernice Kay, Keswick, 15 years old on Tuesday, March 13.

Jimmie Sanders, R. R. 1, Le-froy, 11 years old on Tuesday, March 13.

Margaret Rose Wright, Newmarket, one year old on Tuesday, March 13.

Carol Emily Watson, Toronto, three years old on Wednesday, March 14.

Norman Ireland, Aurora, eight years old on Thursday, March 15.

Barbara Ann West, Pottageville, seven years old on Thursday, March 15.

William Ronald Vernon, R. R. 3, Newmarket, ten years old on Friday, March 16.

Nancy Smith, Newmarket, three years old on Thursday, March 15.

Jack Drew, Newmarket, eight years old on Friday, March 16.

Patty Houghton, Cookstown, 12 years old on Saturday, March 17.

Ida Archibald Moffat, 11 years old on Saturday, March 17.

Fatsy Dunn, Newmarket, eight years old on Saturday, March 17.

Send in your name, age and birthday and become a member of The Era and Express Birthday club.

PINE ORCHARD

There was a good attendance at the Willing Workers meeting at the home of Mrs. Ross Armistage, assisted by Mrs. Emerson Sheppard, on Wednesday afternoon, March 7. The meeting opened with the president in charge. Rev. R. R. McMath offered prayer and Mrs. Sheppard read the scripture lesson. Mrs. Gordon McClure gave a splendid paper on Mary and Martha. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Frank Sheridan. A congregational supper and social evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Toole on Tuesday, March 6. Rev. R. R. McMath favored the group with

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Boys' night at Community club will be Friday, March 16. A shower of articles suitable for overseas boxes will be held.

Even a crow is a welcome sight after the steady winter weather. The robins are back.

The community was well represented by blood donors at the Red Cross clinic in Newmarket on Friday.

David Allen, Toronto, was in charge of the services at the Church of Christ on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Eveleigh and family, Aurora, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Chapman.

Charles Boyd, Newmarket, was in charge of the services at the Union church on Sunday.

On the question, "After the war, do you think every able-bodied young man at 18 should be forced to spend a year taking part in a health-building and youth training program?" A poll of Canadian opinion showed 78 percent of those queried were in favor; 13 percent against; eight percent undecided; three percent gave qualified answers.

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BOWLERS HOLD EUCHEE
Aurora Lawn Bowling club a successful euche in the Orange Hall last Thursday.
Prize-winners were: gentlemen (lady player), Mrs. George Chant, Newmarket; high lady, Mrs. John Hudson, Mrs. Del Patton; high gentleman, L. C. Lee, Ed Anderson; consolation, ladies, Mrs. Wm. Patrick; men, Harry Corner.

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Will you help the Red Cross care for these innocent victims of modern savagery? The bombed-out in the cities — the wounded in the field — the sick in hospital — the captives in enemy hands — the starving women and children of the liberated countries all look to the Red Cross.

Because the world needs the Red Cross as never before, your generous support is needed now more than ever. Lend a hand! GIVE GENEROUSLY.

Destitution and Want are so urgent and desperate in the liberated countries, that the Minister of National War Services asked the Red Cross, with the collaboration of the Canadian United Allied Relief Fund representing the War Charities of eleven of the United Nations, to include funds for this relief in the national appeal.

H. E. LAMBERT, Campaign Chairman

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MOUNT ALBERT
The following articles were included in the March shipment of the Mount Albert unit of the Red Cross: two large quilts, one man's dressing gown, ten baby gowns, four hot-water bottle covers, 11 cauter muffs, five 4-year pantie dresses, four khaki scarves, seven prs. khaki gloves, three khaki long-sleeve sweaters, two prs. grey socks, seven prs. khaki socks.

Letters and cards of thanks were received this week by Secretary Geo. Calver of the Veterans for cigarettes sent overseas from Len Brown, C. Piper, B. Pegg, Bruce Harrison, F. Calver, H. Draper, R. Scott, E. Rose, Mac Armstrong, Cliff. Ward, Harold Bullock and John Ross.

Pte. Frank Calver is now serving in Holland, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calver.

BIRTHDAY WAS MARCH 9
Mrs. Mary Quibell, Mount Albert, was 93 Friday, March 9. Instead of Thursday, March 8, as stated last week.

ZEPHYR
Miss Grace Lockie, Toronto, spent the weekend at her home.
Mrs. T. Comer and Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Comer, Baldwin, visited Mr. N. Horner and Reta on Sunday.
Misses Irma Cain, Ina Walker and Doris Shier and Messrs. Bruce Lockie, Clarkson Arnold, Wilfred Curt and Roderick Rynard had tea on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Graham, Daisy and Stewart.

A large crowd journeyed to Aurora Tuesday evening to see the final hockey game of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cain are the parents of a baby boy born at York County hospital on Wednesday, March 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McDougall are spending a few weeks with Miss M. McDougall, Mr. Lee McLeod and Miss Jean McLeod.

The Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Arnold on Tuesday evening. About 30 attended.

The Young People of Chalmers Presbyterian church, Uxbridge, will present a play entitled, The Improper Henry Propper, in Zephyr Community hall on Friday evening at 8.30. This play is sponsored by the Women's Missionary Society of Zephyr United church.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clark, Ashworth, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Clark and family on Sunday.

The W.M.S. meeting was held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Rynard on Wednesday of last week with an attendance of about 25 ladies.

The Institute meeting will be held March 21 in the Community hall. It will be a St. Patrick's meeting. Mrs. R. A. Armstrong is hostess. Roll-call will be an Irish joke. Current events will be given by Mona Armstrong. The program committee is Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. Thomas. The hostesses are Mrs. T. Meyer, Miss D. Curt, Miss M. Armstrong and Miss Jean McLeod.

(March 8)

Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Bamford spent the weekend in Toronto.
Mr. Keith Pickering, Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. E. Pickering.

Miss Evelyn Coultice was at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Coultice, for the weekend.

Misses Irma Cain, Daisy Graham, Ina Walker, Muriel Myers and Doris Shier, all of Toronto, spent the weekend at their homes.

Mrs. Russell Gray, Gormley, is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. E. Howlett.

Sgt. Clarkson Arnold, who has spent the past month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Arnold, returned to Malton on Monday.

Miss Lula Crosby had tea on Sunday evening with Mrs. E. Proffitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrison, Leaskdale, visited Mrs. Shier and Doris on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shier and Donald, Leaskdale, visited Mrs. R. Shier and Doris on Sunday.

Mr. George Horner, Winnipeg, is spending a few days with the Horner family.

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SPORTS...
FROM
WHERE WE SIT
By DEL. GIBNEY

Tuesday evening some 1,100 soldiers and civilians were on deck at Maple Leaf Gardens to see the Navy Bulldogs take the Army G-3 in a close-fought contest. Not since those days in 1933 have Newmarket hockey fans taken such interest in Canada's winter sport. Good hockey has been their cry and it is good hockey they are seeing.

It was a fast game of hockey with the three stars going to Lefty Wilson, the navy goal tender. Lefty has been playing wonderful hockey all year but on Tuesday evening he was the stumbling block for Billy Taylor and crew time and time again, saving what were marked for sure goals.

To make the going tough for Newmarketers, Gibney called a chip on his shoulder, all evening spending too much time in penalty box, especially in the play-off series. You've got to stick to the ice and play hockey both ways to win a game. Billy Taylor and Joint McComb were the top-notchers for the Newmarket crew.

At Smith's bowling allies, the jam session has begun with all lady and men bowlers jockeying for play-off berths. In the Friday night ladies' league some 21 girls are setting fine marks for the ladies' division. Beattie Wonch rolled 289 in a single game to take high honors for the month of February with others rolling well over the 200 mark. Starting the new series for March, Edna McGrath rolled 312, setting a mark for other members.

It is reported that a play-off between the Monday Night league and this group is in the offing. Let's go one further, girls, and have the winners meet the men's champs for Newmarket Alley Bowlers. We think with handicaps the men will have to be true to form to take a final play-off series for 1945.

In the men's division all teams and players are rolling for positions in the final round up. The play-offs start April 11.

Roy Gibson, who has been bowling a good average for the season, is high for three consecutive five games and last week topped all bowlers for high single with 381 points. The standing in the league to date is as follows: De Havilland, 48; Office Specialty, 36; Engineers, 37; Lawn Bowlers, 36; Gilroy's, 31; Budd's, 29; Dixon Pencil, 28; Geer and Byers, 22.

Geer and Byers' Truckers are beginning to find their cues and the other evening took three points from the second-place holders.

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FARM FORUM NEWS
The Newmarket East Farm Radio Forum met Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mount with an attendance of 25. After listening to the half-hour radio broadcast two groups were formed for discussion of the subject, "Will Price Stabilization Help?". The findings of the forum as reported by the secretary are:

We feel that price control as it has been functioned in Canada during the war has been a benefit to the people in all walks of life. However, we feel steps should be taken to prevent deflation after the war.

We think that price stabilization by ensuring a fair price does not cause inefficiency among farmers. Fair prices, we believe, are more apt to encourage efficiency.

The \$200,000,000 set aside by the Agricultural Prices Support Board to pay the producer the difference between the prescribed price and the average price at which a certain product is sold in the market will be of some help but we do not feel this is a sufficient sum.

The Agricultural Price Support Board, we feel, should establish floor prices so the farmer would not have to produce at a loss. If the prices fixed by the government are not sufficient to purchase conveniences necessary to farmers, it should take steps to bring these conveniences in line with the price of farm produce either by subsidy or bonus.

J. P. Jefferson, president of the Newmarket Farmers' Co-operative store, gave an interesting and informative talk on the Newmarket Farmers' Co-operative and outlined the principles of a co-operative in which farmers would be small share-holders and benefit from their purchases by patronage dividends.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker.

VIRGINIA
Willard Arnold is in Toronto on jury duty.
Mrs. John Lyon has returned to Toronto after visiting her parents for a few days.
Mrs. George Hibbert is ill.
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Voucher No. 4 for expenditures on the township roads, totalling \$609.19, was accepted.

The following general accounts were passed for payment: County of York, hospitalization, \$70; Mrs. C. M. Longman, relief, fuel, \$14.75; Dr. H. G. Lennox, dental work re school pupils, \$52.50; Wilfrid Tiddell, attending Good Roads convention, \$15; Herb Cronsberry, attending Good Roads convention, \$15; J. D. Sibbald, attending Good Roads convention, \$15.

By-law No. 120, increasing the clerk's salary, was given the severest readings and passed.

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SCOTT COUNCIL MEETS
Scott township council met at the Orange hall, Udon, Saturday afternoon.
Communications were read from Ford Lapp, school attendance report for January, and the Canadian National Railways, acknowledging the receipt of resolution regarding the proposed siding at Zephyr station.

The hydro contracts of H. A. Armstrong, Gurnet Lee, Harvey Moore, Emily Miller and Milton Keller were accepted.

The agreement for the use of the bulldozer to open the township roads was presented and filed with the clerk.

Treasurer Kester was authorized to arrange for correcting a difference in the 1942 collector's roll to balance the accounts.

Accounts passed included: Wilfrid Balm, attending Good Roads convention, \$15; Bert Blackburn, attending Good Roads convention, \$15; Fred Leask, attending Rural, Municipal and Roads convention, \$15; Ben Koster, attending Rural, Municipal and Roads convention, \$15; Ross Johnson, attending Good Roads convention one day, \$5; pay roll No. 3, labor on roads, \$128.90;

J. W. Meyers, team, \$1.95; James Stevenson, team, \$1.95; Daniel Wright, team, \$2.50; Roy Taylor, team, \$12.35; Walter Kydd, team, \$6.50; Lloyd Maddocks, team, \$6.50; Herbert Tait, team, \$6.50;

Law Motor Sales, two tractors and plow, \$43; Law Motor Sales, gasoline and oil, bulldozer, \$71.80; Law Motor Sales, repair bulldozer, \$14; Stead's store, gasoline, oils, etc., \$101.99; Mrs. A. Smith, rent of garage, \$5; Ross Johnson, salary, \$83.30; Ben Kester, stamps, road account, \$5.08; Stanley Auckland, operating dozer, \$25; Boyce cartage, hauling bulldozer, \$40.

The next meeting of council will be held at the township hall April 7.

ROBINS SIGHTED
Delbert Gibney saw a robin on Gorham St. Monday morning. George Evans has also reported seeing a robin.



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